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Senator Chamberlain charged during the debate that pernicious activity on the part of officers of both the National Guard and the regular army threatened to influence legislation through personal appeal to senators, he would seek to have them disciplined by the war department. He said officers who appeared before the committee were unwilling to see their plans worked into a homogenous bill and as soon as they concluded their testimony began to attempt to influence friendly legislators.

"The committee might just as well give up if each officer is going to be able to induce his senator to withhold his support until the measures embody everything the officers want," Mr. Chamberlain said. "I want to express great regret that the National Guard has seen fit to inject itself into the halls of congress until now it looks as though it were fighting between the regular forces of the National Guard as to which is to be considered in legislation which affects the whole country."

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"I am not going to limit that criticism to the National Guard. I have devoted nearly three months of my time to working just as hard as I know how and this bill has run the gamut of the department, including the committee, the lobby, the senate and the house of representatives. I sometimes feel a lobby is being maintained for that purpose—but officers of the army around the halls of the senate and house of representatives are interfering with this legislation through different senators instead of leaving the matter to the representatives who have had it in hand and who are responsible."

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The man was first arrested at Bruceville by someone who had read a description of two negroes wanted in a Dallas newspaper. He escaped from those having him in charge and led about 250 people, including officers from Marlin, a chase of twenty miles through Edd, Cogh, Dot and to a place above Chilton on Deer creek, where he was caught by Aldine Hood.

Local officers are confident he is wanted some place, declaring his actions lead them to believe he is a fugitive. He cannot give a satisfactory account of his past, and with the exception of missing teeth, corresponds very much in description to the published in the newspapers. Dallas officials requested that he be held pending further investigation.

Bulger Must Hang Says Colorado Court

By the Associated Press.

Denver, April 3.—James C. Bulger, soldier of fortune, convicted of killing Lloyd F. Nickodemus, must hang by decision today of the state supreme court.

WEATHER

ALL THE LAND ABOVE SEA LEVEL UNIFORMLY SPREAD OVER THE GLOBE WOULD MAKE A CRUST 600 FEET THICK—HALF AS THICK AS A PORK BARREL CONGRESSMAN'S—



VOLUNTARY FORECAST.

By Isidor Block, D. O. S., F. R. Met. S., Optician and Meteorologist.

Cloudy, probably unsettled. The above forecast is based on the low pressure that is moving this way.

Local Readings.
Readings for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night: Maximum temperature 69 at 4 p. m.; minimum 46 at 4 a. m.; barometer 29.7; humidity 50; wind passage 79 miles; fastest 10 miles an hour at 7:15 p. m.

Government Forecast.
Washington, April 3.—Forecast of weather by the government bureau of Texas and Oklahoma—Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday. Louisiana and Arkansas—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

ALLIES CLAIM RIGHT TO CENSOR MAILS

BRITISH AMBASSADOR HANDS JOINT REPLY TO SECRETARY LANSING.

"True Correspondence" Will Not Be Bothered But Parcel Post Examined.

By the Associated Press.

Washington, April 3.—The government entente allies through Cecil Spring Rice, the British ambassador, presented to Secretary Lansing a joint reply today to the protest made by the United States against the seizure, detention and censoring of neutral mails. It is declared that no legitimate letter mail had been confiscated nor any treaty rights violated but emphatically asserted the allies' intention to continue searching parcel post packages for contraband "concealed under postal folders."

In regard to "true correspondence" the note says: "The allied governments will continue for the present to refrain from seizing and confiscating all sea correspondence, letters and dispatches and that they will insure the most rapid delivery of such letters as soon as the genuineness of their character is known."

"The vigorous protest of the United States against the treatment of neutral mails was based largely on evidence in the possession of the state department that while mails had not always been searched at sea, neutral ships upon being taken into British ports for inspection had their mails removed, detained and otherwise tortured with. The reply does not mention this phase of the controversy. The protest was in the form of a memorandum of instructions to the ambassador at London. It stated specifically that the American government was inclined to consider that parcel post shipments were subject to the same treatment accorded to goods sent by freight or express."

PARCEL POST SAME AS MERCHANDISE.

In regard to parcel post shipments the communication says: "Merchandise shipped under the shape of parcel post must not be treated differently from the merchandise shipped in any other way."

The allied governments assert their right to search general mail in the following language: "That the inviolability of postal correspondence stipulated by convention No. 11 of The Hague treaty 1907 carries by no means any prejudice to the right of the belligerents to search mail."

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TRINITY RISING STILL AT DALLAS

By the Associated Press.

Dallas, April 3.—The Trinity river at Dallas tonight stood at 39.4 feet, the highest since May, 1908, when a stage of 52.6 was recorded, and still was rising slowly. Little property damage has been reported and there has been no loss of life so far as known. Points north of Dallas reported the river slowly falling and it is believed the crest will pass Dallas tonight or tomorrow. Cold weather following a 40-hour rain has caused considerable loss in livestock in the Panhandle and probably will run into hundreds of thousands of dollars, especially among recently sheared sheep in the San Angelo district.

The Trinity at Dallas is over a mile wide and it is feared some livestock will be lost in the southern reaches of the stream. Renewed warnings were sent out to those sections by the weather bureau tonight advising settlers to lowlands to get out the remaining livestock.

Isolated instances of effecting railroads compelling detouring of trains, have been reported, but railroad traffic generally is normal.

BANDIT AT SATEVO FIFTY MILES SOUTH OF CHIHUAHUA CITY?

SO SAYS MEXICAN WHO BRINGS STORY TO EL PASO—VILLA NOT IN RECENT FIGHT AND IS NOT WOUNDED IS CLAIMED, AND IS FOLLOWING "PANCHOS ROAD."

AMERICAN OFFICERS FOOLED

Misinformation Given by Natives Let Fleeing Peon Leader Get Good Start. Only Chance Now Said to Be to Catch Refugee Before Torreon District Can Be Reached.

By the Associated Press.

El Paso, April 3.—Francisco Villa, unwounded and accompanied by only eight men, was at Satevo, fifty miles south of Chihuahua City, two days ago, according to information received here today from Mexican sources which usually have been proven reliable in the past.

If this information is correct it beats out previous reports that the bandit chief is headed toward Parral and is leading his American pursuers at least sixty miles. The nearest point to Satevo which the American troops are known to have reached is San Antonio, sixty miles to the northwest.

The route said to have been taken by Villa is one with which he is thoroughly familiar and which indeed is known among the peons as "Panchos road." From Guerrero it leads across the continental divide through the Rabinha Pass into a broad valley which runs east to San Andres, Villa's headquarters, thence south to Santa Ysabel, the scene of Villa's massacre of eighteen American mining men, and then southeast through Satevo to Parral.

The man who brought the story of Villa's arrival at Satevo here gave a circumstantial account of the bandit's maneuvers and plan of campaign. While his story is impossible to verify on his own credibility is vouchsafed by reputable Americans, business men here who have employed him for several years.

SAYS VILLA NOT IN GUERRERO FIGHT.

"Villa," he said, "has never taken part in any fighting with either American or Carranza troops. He left the main body of his troops in the Guerrero district with orders to oppose as far as they could the American advance. At the same time the peons were instructed to give information freely to American officers, always provided that the information was false. The story of Villa being wounded was carefully concocted for the express purpose of misleading General Pershing and Colonel Dodd into the belief that the bandit was in hiding into the mountains and thereby inducing them to split their forces into small parties who would waste their time in the wild Sierras while Villa was making his way safely southward."

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WHERE IS VILLA? QUESTION PERSHING IS PUZZLING OVER

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Northwestern Railroad Not Being Used Yet, but More Motor Trucks Alleviate Situation—Grain Is Found in Mexico, but Grass Reported Scarce in Dispatches from Front.

By the Associated Press.

San Antonio, Tex., April 3.—The fear expressed yesterday at army headquarters that Francisco Villa has escaped from the region in which General Pershing's cavalry columns are operating, became a conviction by the close of today. No report from Mexico stated that he had disappeared but all information secured indicated that he was gone.

General Pershing's report, received after noon, contained the news that at least a part of the dispersed Villa force that was driven from Guerrero March 29, still were moving in the district northeast of that place but no mention of Villa's whereabouts was made. His report was dated yesterday. Six columns of cavalry were yet riding the hills and plains in that section while scouts were endeavoring to pick up the trail of the scattered bands as well as that of their fugitive chief. One force of Villa's men, estimated at 100, commanded by Colonel Brittan, was located near Hacienda about 20 miles northeast of Guerrero, and information was gathered that indicated the remainder of the 400 or 500 were still in that region. No reference was made in the report of an encounter that was mentioned in press dispatches from the front.

CANO SEEMS STILL TO BE LOYAL.

Information gathered from various sources and confirmed by General Pershing indicated that the intelligence officers of the punitive force were having to contend with difficulties created by the receipt of misstatements, through which Villa or his followers had passed. General Pershing also reported that he had difficulty in securing reliable guides.

His statement that it had been reported to him that Colonel Cano had changed a Villa force in a fight on the same day that the Americans were driving the bandits, would result in a change further into the interior, although it was realized that this second phase of the punitive expedition's

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Washington Still Hoping for Good News From Front

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Washington, April 3.—Evidence of co-operation by Carranza troops with the American forces hunting Villa, apparently disposing finally of rumors that Colonel Cano and his command had deserted to Villa, came to the war department late today from General Pershing. He reported an engagement on March 29, near Guadalupe, in which Carranza's troops and one of the bands into which Colonel Dodd scattered the main Villa force.

As this clash, in which Manuel Boco, leader of the outlawed forces, was killed, occurred on the same day that Colonel Dodd struck the Villa army, officials were convinced that the Carranza columns were actively co-operating with the Americans.

"This seems to dispose finally of the rumor of disloyalty on the part of Colonel Cano," Secretary Baker said in a formal statement. Points of Carranza had caused officials to doubt Carranza's dispatch was received with great satisfaction.

HOPE NOT GIVEN UP IN WASHINGTON.

The fact that three days elapsed after the 48-hour report of Colonel Dodd's engagement before news came of the Carranza fight renewed hopes that important subsequent events have not yet been reported to headquarters.

That some supplies and forage for the cavalry even if of poor quality were being obtained "off the country" by General Pershing's forces was another encouraging feature of the latest report. The general said corn of inferior quality was plentiful and that needed care in sufficient quantity had been secured.

The state department officially denied during the day a report that Carranza had been making of General Pershing regarding troop movements in northern Mexico. Neither the state nor the navy department had disquieting information of any kind.

QUIET REPORTED BY CONSULS IN MEXICO.

The American consul at Monterey advised the state department that excitement there following the Columbian massacre and entrance of American troops into Mexico had completely subsided.

Friendly relations between the Uni-

ted States and the de facto government, the dispatch said, were well understood by officials and the native population in that vicinity and Americans were receiving considerate treatment.

Navy department dispatches reported all quiet on both east and west Mexican coasts.

Rumors that the Washington government would object to sales of military supplies to foreign countries to the de facto authorities were formally denied at the state department. It was pointed out that the United States was selling such supplies to Carranza, and would not be in a position to object to similar action by another nation.

NO DATE SET FOR FLETCHER TO START.

Henry P. Fletcher, newly appointed ambassador to Mexico, conferred for a short time today with Secretary Lansing but deferred extensive discussion of his duties. No definite date for his departure for Mexico has been set.

There was no development here toward use of the Mexican railways for shipment of supplies to General Pershing. It was expected that cars with such supplies, tenders for transportation by General Funston would be ready tomorrow. Secretary Lansing said no response had been made to the Carranza government regarding amendments to the proposed protocol suggested by General Carranza.

"An indication of the progress of the de facto government toward re-establishing its fiscal affairs was found in the presence here of a Carranza special representative seeking information for Director Ralph of the bureau of printing and engraving for establishment of such a plant in Mexico. Herebefore the de facto government had been purchasing its stamps and currency from private engravers. General Pershing tonight a request that arrangements be made for the establishment of a branch postoffice with the army field base near Casas Grandes not only to handle the soldiers' mail but to cash money orders. Secretary Baker said the matter would be taken up with the postoffice department today.

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Marlin, April 3.—Excitement in Marlin was tense for awhile this morning when the news spread that a negro, Fred Rolley, had been brought here at midnight and placed in the county jail, believed to be one of the men connected with the murder of the nurse, Zoella Cramer, in Dallas Sunday a week ago. Dallas officers, in a telephone conversation during the methodical search for the negro, stated that he was not the right man, as the identification was not complete.

The man was first arrested at Bruceville by someone who had read a description of two negroes wanted in a Dallas newspaper. He escaped from those having him in charge and led about 250 people, including officers from Marlin, a chase of twenty miles through Eddy, Cogo, Dot and to a place above Chilton on Deer creek, where he was caught by Aldine Hood. Local officers are confident he is wanted some place, declaring his actions lead them to believe he is a fugitive. He cannot give a satisfactory account of his past, and with the exception of missing teeth, corresponds very much in description to the published in the newspapers. Dallas officials requested that he be held pending further investigation.

Bulger Must Hang Says Colorado Court

By the Associated Press.

Denver, April 3.—James C. Bulger, soldier of fortune, convicted of killing Lloyd P. Nicodemus, must hang the week beginning May 21, according to a decision today of the state supreme court.

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VOLUNTARY FORECAST.

By Isidor Block, D. O. S., F. R. Met. S., Optician and Meteorologist.

Cloudy, probably unsettled. The above forecast is based on the low pressure that is moving this way.

Local Readings.
Readings for the twenty-four hours ending at 7 o'clock last night. Maximum temperature 69 at 4 p. m.; minimum 48 at 6 a. m.; barometer 29.9; humidity 60; wind passage 79 miles; fastest 10 miles an hour at 7:15 p. m.

Government Forecast.
Washington, April 3.—Forecast of weather by the government bureau: Texas and Oklahoma—Partly cloudy Tuesday and Wednesday. Louisiana and Arkansas—Fair Tuesday and Wednesday.

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BRITISH AMBASSADOR HANDS JOINT REPLY TO SECRETARY LANSING.

"True Correspondence" Will Not Be Bothered But Parcel Post Examined.

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In regard to "true correspondence" the note says: "The allied governments will continue for the present to refrain from seizing and confiscating at sea these correspondences, letters and dispatches and that they will insure the most rapid delivery of such letters as soon as the genuineness of their character is known."

The vigorous protest of the United States against the treatment of neutral mails was based largely on evidence in the possession of the state department that while mails had not always been searched at sea, neutral ships upon being taken into British ports for inspection had their mails removed, detained and otherwise interfered with. The reply, sent today to the state department, stated that the phase of the controversy. The protest was in the form of a memorandum of instructions to Ambassador Page at London. It stated specifically that the American government was inclined to consider that parcel post shipments were subject to the same treatment accorded to goods sent by freight or express.

PARCEL POST SAME AS MERCHANDISE.

In regard to parcel post shipments the communication says: "Merchandise shipped under the shape of parcel post must not and shall not be treated differently from the merchandise shipped in any other way."

The allied governments assert their right to search general mail in the following language: "The obligation of postal correspondence stipulated by convention No. 11 of The Hague treaty 1901 carries by no means any prejudice to the right of the States to search general mail."

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TRINITY RISING STILL AT DALLAS

By the Associated Press.

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AMERICAN OFFICERS FOOLED

Misinformation Given by Natives Let Fleeing Peon Leader Get Good Start. Only Chance Now Said to Be to Catch Refugee Before Torreon District Can Be Reached.

By the Associated Press.

El Paso, April 3.—Francisco Villa, unwounded and accompanied by only eight men, was at Satevo, fifty miles south of Chihuahua City, two days ago, according to information received here today from Mexican sources which usually have been proven reliable in the past.

If this information is correct it bears out previous reports that the bandit chief is headed toward Parral and is leading his American pursuers at least sixty miles. The nearest point to Satevo which the American troops are known to have reached is San Antonio, sixty miles to the northwest.

The route said to have been taken by Villa is one with which he is thoroughly familiar and which indeed is known among the peons as "Panchito's road." From Guerrero it leads across the continental divide through the Techichihu Pass into a broad valley which runs east to San Andres, Villa's old headquarters, thence south to Santa Ysabel, the scene of Villa's massacre of eighteen American mining men, and then southeast through Satevo to Parral.

The man who brought the story of Villa's arrival at Satevo here gave a circumstantial account of the bandit's maneuvers and plans, and provided that the information was true, verification of his own credibility is vouchered for by reputable Americans, business men here who have employed him for several years.

SAYS VILLA NOT IN GUERRERO FIGHT.

"Villa," he said, "has never taken part in any fighting with either American or Carranza troops. He left the main body of his troops in the Guerrero district with orders to oppose as far as they could the American advance. At the same time the peons were instructed to give information freely to American officers, always provided that the information was false. The story of Villa being wounded was carefully concocted for the express purpose of misleading General Pershing and Colonel Dodd into the belief that the bandit was hiding in the mountains and thereby inducing them to split their forces into small searching parties who would waste their time in the wild Sierras as Villa was making his way safely southward."

This part of the story is given color by the admission of General Pershing today that his intelligence department has been given much misleading information.

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General Pershing's report, received after noon, contained the news that at least a part of the dispersed Villa force that was driven from Guerrero March 29, still were moving in the district northeast of that place but no mention of Villa's whereabouts was made. His report was dated yesterday. Six columns of cavalry were yet riding the hills and plains in that section while scouts were endeavoring to pick up the trail of the scattered bands as well as that of their fugitive chief. One force of Villa's men, estimated at 100, commanded by Colonel Beltran, was located near Hacienda, about 25 miles northeast of Guerrero, and information was gathered that indicated the remainder of the 400 or 500 were still in that region. No reference was made in that report of an encounter that was mentioned in press dispatches from the front.

CANO SEEMS STILL TO BE LOYAL.

Information gathered from various sources and confirmed by General Pershing indicated that the intelligence officers of the punitive force were having to contend with difficulties created by the reports of misstatements. Rumors are supplied in districts through which Villa or his followers had passed. General Pershing also reported that he had difficulty in securing reliable guides.

His statement that it had been reported to him that Colonel Canzo had changed a Villa force in a fight on the same day that the Americans were driving the bandits from the interior, served to allay somewhat the fear that had arisen here that Canzo had revolted, a report that appeared well founded.

Which way Villa has gone is now largely a question for General Pershing's scouts to answer. It was pointed out at General Funston's headquarters that once the trail was picked out the troops would resume the chase further into the interior, although it was realized that this second phase of the punitive expedition's

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Washington Still Hoping for Good News From Front

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Navy department dispatches reported all quiet on both east and west Mexican coasts.

Rumors that the Washington government would object to sales of munitions by foreign countries to the de facto authorities were formally denied at the state department. It was pointed out that the United States was selling such supplies to Carranza and would not be in a position to object to similar action by another nation.

NO DATE SET FOR FLETCHER TO START.

Henry P. Fletcher, newly appointed ambassador to Mexico, conferred for a short time today with Secretary Lansing but deferred an extensive discussion of his duties. No definite date for his departure for Mexico has been set.

There was no development here toward use of the Mexican railways for shipment of supplies to General Pershing. It was expected that cars with such supplies tendered for transportation by General Funston would be ready tomorrow. Secretary Lansing said no response had been made to the Carranza government regarding the establishment of the proposed protocol suggested by General Carranza.

"An indication of the progress of the de facto government toward re-establishing its fiscal affairs was found in a formal statement here of a Carranza special representative seeking information for Director Ralph of the bureau of printing and engraving for the establishment of such a plant in Mexico. Herebefore the de facto government has been purchasing its stamps and currency from private engravers.

General Funston forwarded from General Pershing tonight a request that arrangements be made for the establishment of a branch postoffice with the army field base near Casas Grandes not only to handle the soldiers' mail but to cash money orders. Secretary Baker said the matter would be taken up with the postoffice department today.

The secretary remained at the department until near midnight, but except for the postoffice request only routine dispatches were received.

WOMEN SUFFERERS NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

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NATIONAL GUARD AND ARMY LOBBYING SAYS CHAMBERLAIN

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the efficiency of the general staff would be lost if its meetings were open to National Guard officers, many of whom it was charged received their appointments as political rewards and would not appreciate the necessity of guarding military secrets under discussion.

Senators Martin, Lee of Maryland and Smith and Hardwick of Georgia, spoke in opposition to the federal volunteer plan.

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Senator Smith urged his amendment for short enlistments in the regular army with at least ninety-six hours each month devoted to educational instruction. Senator Hardwick wanted to substitute his amendment to provide for military instruction in schools and colleges which he said would insure a reserve of two million young men with military training.

Senator Williams said that some of the amendments offered by the two senators from Georgia need not conflict with the volunteer army plan which he advocated. He suggested that each state university should be turned into a branch of the West Point academy.

Senator Weeks spoke in favor of the federal volunteer system and praised the bill as the best piece of military legislation ever put before the senate.

Senator Brandegee of Connecticut also made an urgent plea for the volunteer army. At the close of the day Senator Chamberlain again warned the senate that he would ask for night sessions unless more rapid progress is made in the near future.

Paris Tent Bill Passes.

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Mexican officials here and in Juarez refused to discuss the probability of Villa being close to Parral but they showed no inclination to belittle the story. General Gavira, the Juarez commander, said he had no direct news from the front as the wires between Juarez and Casas Grandes were again out of commission due to heavy storms.

Senate Must Speed Up.

Washington, April 3.—Chairman Simmons of the finance committee warned the senate today that it must speed up consideration of the army bill if the amended free sugar repeal resolution is to be personal and differences with the house over amendments fought out before May 1, when sugar would go on the free list under the present law. The senator said he expected sharp contest in conference over the senate amendment, extending the present duty for four years. As it passed the house the resolution flippantly repeals the free sugar provision, leaving the one cent duty in force indefinitely.

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From the border to the extreme southern positions the advanced posts already have traveled 300 miles when there is taken into account the twistings of the trails they have traveled.

The Northwestern railroad is not yet being used, due partly, it was officially reported here, to a failure of General Gaviro and General Bell to reach an agreement. The timely placing in service of more motor trucks alleviated temporarily the supply situation, however, and General Pershing reported today that motor trucks now are delivering supplies to a point south of Namiquipa, almost 200 miles from the border.

General Pershing also reported that he had found grain and inferior grade for the horses and mules but grass is scarce and the need for hay is pressing. The aeroplanes are being used for communication between Colonia Dublan and the front and that means soon will be supplemented by a wagon wireless set that has been sent forward to one of the advanced bases.

Villa Near Dolores Pass?

By the Associated Press.

Douglas, Ariz., April 3.—Francisco Villa and a small body of his men are in the vicinity of Santa Barbara, Chihuahua, southwest of Parral and but a few miles from Dolores Pass leading into the Sahuaripa district of Sonora, according to reports brought to Agua Prieta today by passengers from Nacozari. The same story in the form of a rumor reached American army circles here and caused much speculation.

Not a great deal of credence was given the rumor on this side of the line, although it is known that General Arnulfo Gomez, commanding the de facto Mexican forces in Northwestern Sonora, sent additional troops to Colonia Morelos, sixty-five miles southeast of Agua Prieta today with instructions to prevent Villa from entering Sonora through any of the mountain passes.

NAVAL HEARINGS
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It was a reply to an offer made before the war by the Krupp company to supply 14-inch guns for the United States navy. The ordinance bureau answered that if guns to meet the requirements outlined in the offer could be provided the company's bid would have attention.

"These are not the specifications of our 14-inch gun," Admiral Strauss said. "They are for a much superior gun."

Both the secretary and the admiral said they had no knowledge of any plans or other information having been reported to the Russian government.

RECORDS SHOW SHELLS PASSED TEST.

In answer to Representative Butler's assertion that the armor-piercing shell specifications were too high, Admiral Strauss produced the records of the department to show that the Midway and Crucible steel companies had delivered large quantities of shells that had passed the tests.

Secretary Daniels replied at length to criticisms of himself implied or stated during the testimony of Rear Admiral Fiske, former aide for operations, and became involved in a warm controversy with Representative Butler, Illinois, republican. Responding to questions by Chairman Padgett, he said Admiral Fiske had sought appointment as commander of the Atlantic fleet, but had been rejected. Badger retired and had repeatedly requested it, to the secretary's great embarrassment. Mr. Daniels said he told Admiral Fiske that he was not to be appointed.

Admiral Fiske replied that the appointment was not made, but that he was not to be appointed. When Fletcher replied that he was, and from that time on Admiral Fiske was in harmony with the navy department.

FIRST DIFFERENCE OVER WINE MESS RULE.

"Our first difference," said the secretary, was over the wine mess order. Admiral Fiske was greatly aggrieved. He said navy officers would go to using cocaine. Mr. Daniels regretted the order but did not issue it. He said, "I when I came said office instead of waiting."

Mr. Daniels said he had been prompted to issue the order because of the many cases that came before him of young officers addicted to drink.

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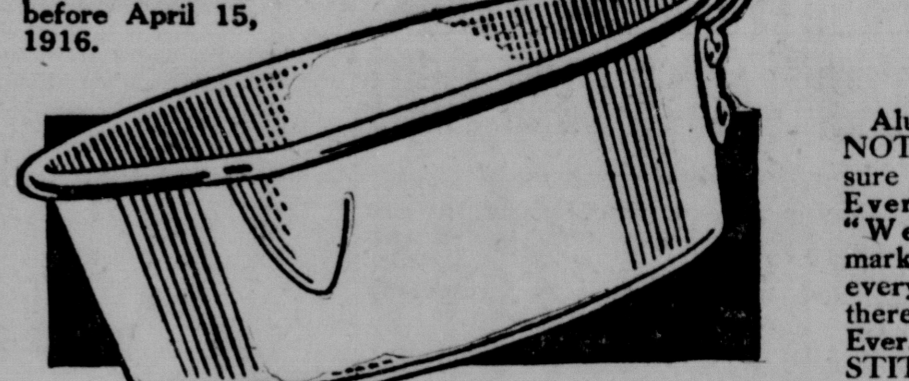
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Police Assigned for K. C. Election

Kansas City, April 3.—Three hundred patrolmen who were assigned to duty at the polling places in tomorrow's municipal election were removed from the control of Hiram W. Hamill, chief of police, by an order signed by the board of police commissioners late today.

The order placing Captain Flahive in command was signed by Fred A. Lamb, James S. Lapsley and Mayor Henry L. Jost, who is seeking re-election.

The campaign that closed tonight has been the most spirited in many years. Mayor Jost, democrat, who already has served four years, is being opposed by George H. Edwards, republican. Mr. Edwards' candidacy has the endorsement of the non-partisan and progressive parties. He is pledged to a simplified form of city government.

Inneses Arrive in Atlanta, Ga.

Atlanta, Ga., April 3.—Victor E. Innes and his wife, Ida May Innes, arrived here late today from San Antonio, Texas, in custody of detectives to face larceny after trust charges involving \$12,000. They were taken immediately from the railroad station to the county jail in a closed conveyance.

There was no crowd at the station when the couple arrived and with the exception of newspaper men and photographers few persons had gathered around the jail when they entered, although the time they were expected to reach Atlanta had been made public here today. Attorneys for the couple had used as one argument against their being returned to Georgia the statement that threats had been made to lynch them here. Two policemen met the couple and the detectives at the station.

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Thousands upon thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

If the kidneys are not in a healthy condition, they may cause the other organs to become diseased.

You may suffer a great deal with pain in the back, headache, loss of ambition, nervousness and may be despondent and irritable.

Don't delay starting treatment. Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, a physician's prescription, obtained at any drug store, restores health to the kidneys and is just the remedy needed to overcome such conditions.

Get a fifty cent or one dollar bottle immediately from any drug store. However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention the Waco Morning News.

NATIONAL GUARD AND ARMY LOBBYING SAYS CHAMBERLAIN

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The efficiency of the general staff would be lost if its meetings were open to National Guard officers, many of whom it was charged received their appointments as political rewards and would not appreciate the necessity of guarding military secrets under discussion.

Sensors Martin, Lee of Maryland and Smith and Hardwick of Georgia, spoke in opposition to the federal volunteer plan.

SMITH URGES SHORT ENLISTMENTS.

Senator Smith urged his amendment for short enlistments in the regular army with at least ninety-six hours each month devoted to educational instruction. Senator Hardwick wanted to substitute his amendment to provide for military instruction in schools and colleges which he said would insure a reserve of two million young men with military training.

Senator Williams urged that the amendments offered by the two senators from Georgia need not conflict with the volunteer army plan which he advocated. He suggested that each state university should be turned into a branch of the West Point academy.

Senator Weeks spoke in favor of the federal volunteer system and praised the bill as the best piece of military legislation ever put before the senate.

Senator Brandegee of Connecticut also made an urgent plea for the volunteer army.

At the close of the day Senator Chamberlain again warned the senate that it would ask for night sessions unless more rapid progress is made in the near future.

Paris Tent Bill Passes.

By the Associated Press. Washington, April 3.—The house today adopted the Black resolution authorizing the supplying of tents and other necessities to the sufferers from the recent fire at Paris, Texas. The bill now goes to the senate.

BANDIT AT SATEVO FIFTY MILES SOUTH OF CHIHUAHUA CITY?

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formation and that it was becoming more difficult to secure reliable guides.

Continuing his story the man said:

AMERICANS DRIVING SOUTHEAST NOW.

"The American officers were fooled at first, but they have a fair knowledge of the real situation now and the advance column is driving southeast with all the speed they can command. Their only chance of catching up with Villa is that they have a good road and should not be handicapped by the big problem of forage and water. The trail from San Antonio to Satevo leads through a broad valley where there is generally plenty of water at this time of the year and which is fairly fertile and well cultivated.

Of course the poor farmers will try to conceal their grain but American gold and silver will be a temptation many of them will be unable to resist.

"If they catch up with Villa before he gets into the Torreon district they ought to be able to kill or capture him, but if he is able to join forces with Canuto Reyes they will have a difficult task ahead of them." Mexican officials here and in Juarez refused to discuss the probability of Villa being close to Parral but they showed no inclination to belittle the story. General Gavira, the Juarez commander, said he had no direct news from the front as the wires between Juarez and Casas Grandes were again out of commission due to heavy storms.

LIVE STOCK GROWERS ASK FOR PROBE OF PACKING INDUSTRY

By the Associated Press.

Washington, April 3.—Disregarding an offer by the largest packing interests of the country to submit to an investigation by the department of agriculture, representatives of livestock growers today appeared before a house judiciary sub-committee and demanded an inquiry into every angle of the industry, particularly as to alleged price fixing by an inquisitorial body with unlimited powers of subpoena.

"The producers and feeders want a real investigation," declared Walter L. Fisher, attorney for the market committee of the National Livestock association. "They do not believe that other inquiries have been made by the sub-committee met to consider a resolution introduced by Representative Borland of Missouri which would direct the federal trade commission to determine whether the packers were violating the anti-trust laws. Representatives of both packers and growers were present, but the only speakers today were Mr. Fisher and members of the committee. It probably will be several days before the packers have an opportunity to present the side of the case.

Representative Borland, Doolittle of Kansas, Steele of Iowa, Kent of California and Mr. Fisher spoke advocating inquiry and contending that concrete evidence of a packers' combination could be produced. There seemed to be general sentiment favoring broadening the scope of the Borland resolution. The burden of the statement of the case made by Representatives Borland and Doolittle was that the packers kept the price of meat down during a period of great demand in 1915 and then after agitation for an inquiry had been started this year advanced it materially in the face of increased receipts.

Mr. Doolittle also revealed that the department of justice at his suggestion was conducting an investigation of a sudden drop of \$1.25 a hundred in the price of hogs that took place on October 20 and 21, 1915, in Chicago and Kansas City.

Mr. Fisher told of the packers' willingness to submit to a departmental examination. One of their attorneys mentioned it to him, he said, and he immediately opposed it on the ground that the department would be without power to compel a far-reaching inquiry. Representatives of the packers, it was learned later, have communicated their plan to the department.

"It is suggested that the relations between the packers and trade journals and other avenues of publicity should be investigated."

"It is believed by the stock raising interests," he said, "that some of the channels of publicity are controlled by the packers."

Tomorrow's session of the committee will be devoted to hearing other witnesses for the producers, among whom are former Governor Stubbs of Kansas and Edward L. Burke of Omaha.

ALLIES CLAIM RIGHT TO CENSOR MAILS

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allied governments to visit and if need be to stop and seize the mails which are falsely deposited in the covers, envelopes or letters contained in the mail sacks.

The text of the allies' note as made public by the state department was in French. It is about 2000 words long and contains the statement that the "treatment of postal correspondence carried on the sea has been during the present war the cause of various uncertainties and that the allied governments think it wise to dispel criticisms of their course."

RULE APPLIED TO LETTERS ONLY.

At the time of the second conference at The Hague in 1907 the communication says, "The German imperial government pointed out since the telegraph offered to the belligerents means of communication more rapid than sea mail, there was no longer any interest in considering, as formerly, postal correspondence as able to constitute articles of contraband by analogy and in impeding their shipment by seizure and confiscation."

"This proposition in appearance so pacific, inspiring confidence in the other powers, they adopted this view-point. The full article of convention No. 11 of The Hague, 1907, stipulates as follows: 'The belligerents agree that it is not lawful to intercept postal correspondence on the sea.'"

"A first observation might be made concerning the postal correspondence. 'The sending of merchandise by parcel post is a way of shipping and transportation similar to shipping and transportation by means of shipping bills or bills of lading, with the difference that this transportation is undertaken by postal service. Such parcels can under no consideration be considered as letters, correspondence or dispatches, and it is clear that nothing can save them from the exercise of the rights of police, control, visit and eventual seizure which belong to the belligerents on the high seas in regard to all cargoes.'"

Senate Must Speed Up.

By the Associated Press. Washington, April 3.—Chairman Simmons of the finance committee warned the senate today that it must speed up consideration of the army bill if the amended free sugar repeal resolution is to be personal and differences fought out before May 1, when sugar would go on the free list under the present law. The senator said he expected sharp contest in conference over the senate amendment extending the present duty for four years. As it passed the house the resolution flatly repeals the free sugar provision, leaving the one cent duty in force indefinitely.

WHERE IS VILLA? QUESTION PERSHING IS PUZZLING OVER

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work will be far more difficult than was the first.

MORE TROOPS MAY BE REQUIRED.

It is not improbable, it was said, that more troops than those already in Mexico, will be required. The topography of the country south of Guernero is such that successful pursuit can be conducted only by a wide deployment of forces and the utilization of a large part of the infantry. It was pointed out that the further the troops penetrate into Mexico the greater will be the necessity for strengthening the lines of communication. From the border to the extreme southern positions the advanced posts already have traveled 300 miles when there is taken into account the twistings of the trails they have traveled.

The Northwestern railroad is not yet being used, due partly, it was unofficially reported here, to a failure of General Gavira and General Bell to reach an agreement. The timely placing in service of more motor trucks alleviated temporarily the supply situation, however, and General Pershing reported today that motor trucks now are delivering supplies to a point south of Nacozari, almost 200 miles from the border.

General Pershing also reported that he had found grain of an inferior grade for the horses and mules but grass is scarce and the need for hay is pressing. The aeroplanes are being used for communication between Colon, Durban and the front and that means soon will be supplemented by a wagon wireless set that has been sent forward to one of the advanced bases.

Villa Near Dolores Pass?

By the Associated Press.

Douglas, Ariz., April 2.—Francisco Villa and a small body of his men are in the vicinity of Santa Barbara, Chihuahua, southwest of Parral and but a few miles from Dolores Pass leading into the Sahuaripa district of Sonora, according to reports brought by Agua Prieta today by passengers from Nacozari. The same story in the form of a rumor reached American army circles here and caused much speculation.

"Not a great deal of credence was given the rumor on this side of the line, although it is known that General Arnulfo Gomez, commanding the de facto Mexican forces in Northwestern Sonora, sent additional troops to Colonia Morelos, sixty-five miles southeast of Agua Prieta today with instructions to prevent Villa from entering Sonora through any of the mountain passes."

NAVAL HEARINGS ENDED BY HOUSE

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It was a reply to an offer made before the war by the Krupp company to supply 14-inch guns for the United States navy. The ordinance bureau answered that if guns to meet the requirements outlined in the offer could be provided the company's bid would have attention.

"These are not the specifications of our 14-inch gun," Admiral Strauss said. "They are for a much superior gun."

Both the secretary and the admiral said they had no knowledge of any plans or other information having been imparted to the Russian government.

RECORDS SHOW SHELLS PASSED TEST.

In answer to Representative Butler's assertion that the armor-piercing shell specifications were too high, Admiral Strauss produced the records of the department to show that the Midway and Carchilion Straits had delivered large quantities of shells that had passed the tests.

Secretary Daniels replied at length to criticisms of himself implied or stated during the testimony of Rear Admiral Flske, former aide for operations, and became involved in a warm controversy. Representative Britten of Illinois, republican, responding to questions by Chairman Padgett, he said Admiral Flske had sought appointment as commander of the Atlantic fleet. Rear Admiral Badger retired and had repeatedly requested it, to the secretary's great embarrassment. Mr. Daniels said he told Flske that he was not to be considered for the command of a squadron in Mexican waters, seemed entitled to the appointment. Admiral Flske replied that he did not want it, the secretary said, and asked that the appointment be held up until he could write to Fletcher. This was done, Mr. Daniels said, and Fletcher, he said, was appointed, and from that time on Admiral Flske was not in harmony with the navy department.

FIRST DIFFERENCE OVER WINE MESS RULE.

"Our first difference," said the secretary, "was over the wine mess order. Admiral Flske was greatly annoyed. He said navy officers would go to using cocaine. My only regret about the order that I did not see him before he was when I came into office instead of waiting."

Mr. Daniels said he had been prompted to issue the order because of the cases that came before him of young officers addicted to drink. Although he had resolved to ask for Admiral Flske's resignation, the secretary said he changed his mind when congress created the office of chief of operations to supplant the aide system and intended to allow the admiral to serve as aide until the office expired. The admiral, however, resigned before the new law became effective.

Representative Britten directed attention to Admiral Flske's statement that he had resigned because he had differed with Mr. Daniels on the preparedness question. The secretary said that was not the reason given to him for the resignation.

Representative Britten asked that certain letters from Admiral Flske and the general board to the secretary, warning him that the navy was unprepared for war, be placed in the record. Mr. Daniels declined to do so, saying he had no intention of permitting such correspondence between the board and himself to be made the subject of a congressional attack. Representative Oliver of Alabama, democrat, made a statement sharply attacking Representative Britten. He said the Illinois member's attitude throughout the hearings had followed the single line of criticizing the secretary of the navy.

Holdup Man Caught.

By the Associated Press. Sacramento, Cal., April 2.—W. R. Smith, a laborer, garbed in cowboy clothes, walked into the Oak Park branch of the Sacramento bank today, held up the two tellers and took \$1005. He was chased to a fire house a mile away and captured. Smith said he was in debt.

AMERICAN AVIATOR IN VERDUN BATTLE



Sergeant Elliot C. Cowdin.

Sergeant Elliot C. Cowdin, American birdman, has been one of the most daring aviators in the French ranks during the battle of Verdun. He is a graduate of Harvard, has distinguished himself as a solo player and all around sportsman, and is well known in New York society.

Squier May Replace Reber as Head of Aviation Service

By the Associated Press.

Washington, April 3.—Important developments in the army aerial service were forecast today by the announcement by Secretary Baker that Lieutenant Colonel George O. Squier of the signal corps detailed lately as military attaché to the American embassy in London, had been ordered to Washington for duty in connection with aviation.

As only one officer above the rank of captain is assigned to the aviation corps, this announcement immediately gave rise to reports at the war department that Colonel Squier would succeed Lieutenant Colonel Samuel Reber, present head of the service. Secretary Baker declined to comment on the reports or to say whether the order to Colonel Squier had any connection with the recent report of the special army board which investigated charges of inefficiency against the aviation service.

The secretary conferred during the day with Captain Virgilus Clark, Lieutenant Thomas de W. Miling and Lieutenant H. Q. Jones, who compose the commission of aviators appointed to inspect new machines, for which congress has made an appropriation. The secretary expects these officers to aid materially in working out improvements in the service.

The committee suggested to Secretary Baker that congress enact legislation to authorize filling up the aviation service to its complete legal strength by appointing temporarily at least of civilian aviators. The suggestion was favorably received by the secretary.

Switzerland Gets German Apology

By the Associated Press.

London, April 3.—Germany has apologized to Switzerland for the bombing of the Swiss village of Porentruy by German airmen last week, says a Reuter dispatch from Bern. A promise to punish the aviators who caused the destruction of the village has been made.

A dispatch from Bern last Friday said two aeroplanes of unknown nationality had dropped five large bombs on Porentruy, with some damage to property. A Geneva dispatch said the aircraft undoubtedly were German and that the federal council had ordered the Swiss minister in Berlin to protest.

Charge Murder on Poor Farm.

By the Associated Press. Seaford, Ark., April 2.—Joe Lawrence, former keeper of the county poor farm, is under arrest here charged with having killed Mrs. Susan West, aged 29, an inmate of the poor farm. Lawrence and Mrs. West left for Seaford in a buggy this morning. Later the woman's body was found with her throat cut and Lawrence was unconscious with deep gashes in his throat. He will recover. Officers say jealousy was the cause.

Armenian Atrocities Continue.

By the Associated Press. New York, April 3.—Charles R. Crane, treasurer of the American board of mission for Armenian and Syrian relief, announced today he had received a message from Alvey A. Adee, second assistant secretary of state at Washington, that the atrocities against Armenians and Syrians in Turkey were still in progress, despite reports to the contrary. The report to the state department, it was said, was contained in a telegram from Dr. W. W. Peet, treasurer of the American board of foreign missions, now in Constantinople.

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For the kind expressions which have been given by the Tribune and the Times-Herald touching the new organization of the News, it is sincerely grateful. As Bill Nye said when he first faced a Fort Worth audience, after an introduction by Mr. Wm. Capps, "Those sentiments, my friend, are worthy of the introducer—and the introduced."

And Still Going.
(Houston Post)

In little more than three years President has become widower once, bridegroom once, father-in-law twice and grandfather three times—all of which is going some.

A Reckless Runaway.
(Dallas Times-Herald)

The Commodore Duncan is headed downstream. But so many things were happening in Dallas when the good ship cast off that she got away almost without our knowing it.

Around the World

Energetic measures taken by Gen. Pablo Gonzales averted a threatened general strike of employees and laborers of the Mexico City street railway system.

The final report of the English committee on public retrenchment has been issued. The committee has already reported on the postal services, the stationery and printing, the closing of museums and it now recommends an eight-hour day for civil servants; curtailment of the long vacation, and extension of county court jurisdiction; the raising of the minimum school age; reduction of postal facilities, including the abolition of free postage of redirected letters; reduction of higher officials in certain government departments, and the modification of the insurance act.

The stork is expected soon at Glenadrian, the home of Ireland, of Richard Croker, according to a report which has just been received here. Mrs. Croker was Miss Bula Benton Edmondson, a professional singer. On her mother's side she is the Cherokee Princess Sequoyah, being one-quarter Indian. On the father's side she is a descendant of Lord Montgomery, Earl of Eglinton, who led Norman forces at the Battle of Hastings.

Polish wheat, offered for sale in the west at \$1 a pound, with glowing statements regarding yields and value, has been tested by the department of agriculture, which advises farmers that it cannot be recommended for growing anywhere in the United States. This wheat has been exported in recent years in various parts of the country under the name "Jerusalem wheat" and "giant wheat."

The government resolution on wild animals shows that during the last year 1,440 persons were killed by wild animals in British India, an increase of about nine per cent on the previous year's casualties. As actual tigers were chiefly responsible, 640 lives having been lost through their depredations, in Ranchi alone a mandalator being responsible for a large proportion of 239 fatalities in that district. The loss of human lives due to snake bites amounted to 22,543, an increase of 1,124 over the previous year's figures, mortality in the province being the highest for that province recorded in recent years.

The health department estimates that diphtheria cost Chicago a total of \$3,315,054 in 1915. Of this enormous total \$3,300,000 was due to the loss of life from this disease.

John Harrison Surratt, last survivor of those accused of implication in the plot to assassinate Abraham Lincoln, is dangerously ill of pleuro-pneumonia at Baltimore.

The state convention of the progressive party of Vermont at which delegates to the national convention of the party are to be chosen will be held at Burlington May 24, the executive committee decided at a meeting tonight.

For the first time in history a Pan-American conference has been called for the purpose of considering matters distinctively and specifically related to child welfare in the countries of the western hemisphere. It is to be known as the First Pan-American Child's Congress, and is to be held during the month of July, 1916, in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The Spring Fair, which began at Leipzig, Germany, last week, is the most successful one in every way that has been held since the war broke out. In some respects this year's fair even beats the ante-bellum record. The Chamber of Commerce has already issued certificates to 25,000 visitors entitling them to half-price privilege on the railways as buyers at the fair; and this number is greater than the total number of visitors to the fair in 1914. The fair is so overcrowded, and many visitors have had to find quarters in private houses; others fill the hotels of neighboring towns like Halle and go back and forth daily.

To relieve the shortage of milk, 200,000 goats are to be brought into Budapest, Hungary, and distributed among poorer households.

The British government has found a place in the army for the conscientious objectors, known as the Derby recruiting scheme who had conscientious scruples against fighting and who were excused from enlisting. There were thousands of such and to give them a chance to serve their country, although at the same time cater to their vanity against bearing arms, the war office announced the formation, for the period of the war, of the "Non-Combatant Corps." The officers and non-commissioned officers will be selected from regular infantry personnel not fit for general service, but fit for service abroad on lines of communication.

Official announcement is made that 2,300 Danes have lost their lives in the war while fighting on the side of Germany. They were Scandinavian natives of the province of Schleswig, which has been for fifty years in possession of Germany.

The Austrians are engaged in rebuilding and repairing a large part of the city of Belgrade. Besides restoring the public buildings, 100,000 panes of glass have been replaced and 12,000 new keys made.

Billy Sunday on the Decollette.
(From a Sermon at Baltimore.)
"A girl was getting ready for a charity ball and she fixed her hair.
"Auntie, does my dress hang straight? Get my feather boa and call the carriage."
"And the old colored woman said:
"Lord God! Honey! you ain't goin' with all that meat showing like that, is you?"
"I heard of a girl who went to buy some silk and said:
"Have you any new designs?"
"Yes, the latest things from Paris."
"Let me see some. That's blue and you see I am a brunette. I think that I would like something of a magenta-yes, that's very fine. How much is it a yard? \$5? I'll take \$4.19 worth."
"Don't you want a yard of it?"
"No. I want to make a ballroom costume and don't need quite a yard."
"Read the descriptions of some of the costumes that they wear in Baltimore. No sleeves, they are superfluous, bodice connected with a little piece of ribbon over the shoulder.
"If I had gone around to church on Sunday morning I would probably have found a whole lot of them in the choir and could have heard them say, 'We have erred like most sheep from the paths. Spare us, dear Lord.'"

Texas Briefs

After years of litigation, the suit of Mrs. D. P. McLoughlin of Calhoun county, Missouri, and others, against the Houston Oil company, to clear the title to 1100 acres of land north of Pine Island bayou and the old town of Concord, yesterday resulted in a victory for the plaintiffs in a jury trial before Judge L. B. Hightower, Sr., at Kountze.

The amount paid into the state treasury from land sales and leases in March totaled \$106,161.34. Of this amount \$70,139.20 was placed to the credit of the available school fund and \$25,993.36 to the permanent fund.

Mr. Dabney White, of Tyler, declines an invitation to debate the warehouse law with Farmers' Union officials of Fannin county and repeats his offer of \$100 to be paid to a charitable institution, if either of the challengers will convince a jury to be empaneled of twelve farmers that that law is of any direct benefit to the producer.

The Farmers' Institute will hold its annual convention in Austin July 17, 18 and 19, instead of July 24 and 25, as was first given out. The change was made in deference to the Farmers' short course at the Agricultural and Mechanical college, which will be held during the week including the 24th.

Abilene will soon become one of fourteen first-class postoffices in the state.

Comanche will hold a fair early in October.

A big district meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Corpus Christi April 25 and 26.

Railroads entering San Antonio will spend \$500,000 in construction of terminal yards and passenger and freight stations.

J. Y. Blocker tells the champion snake story of the season. At least he says he saw forty-two rattlesnakes hanging on the wire fence between Georgetown and Taylor, supposed killed and hung there by some one who had found a den of them and dug them out.

On the March

Substantial evidence of the rigid enforcement of the anti-treating law was given in the English shipping town of Southampton the other day when a man was fined one pound (\$5) for treating his wife to a glass of wine in a public drinking house, his wife was fined an equal amount and the barmaid who served the drinks was fined five pounds (\$25).

By the tactics of Senator Brown, the woman suffrage bill has again been held up in the New York legislature. He plans to make a speech against it and to offer an amendment eliminating alien-born women from the privilege it grants, but sentiment here is that the bill will pass with a comfortable majority and without the amendment.

Senator Ogden injected new life into what a good many people believed to be a corpse when he succeeded in getting the Maryland state senate to substitute his initiative amendment for the unfavorable report of the committee on amendments to the constitution. The vote was 16 to 8.

The board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church announces a gift of \$25,000 to be added to the permanent fund for retired missionaries. This latest gift swells the fund to \$150,000. The name of the donor is not given.

As a result of action taken by the Regional Conference attended by representatives of all the Protestant churches supporting missions in Porto Rico, denominational lines are to be practically abolished and co-operation is to be effected among the churches in the various forms of mission work here. The conference was one of the regional gatherings planned at the recent conference at Panama, which are being held throughout Central and South America, Cuba and Porto Rico.

LOVE'S THE MORNING.

(The Bentztown Bard.)
Love's the morning,
Life's the night;
Love's adorning
Gives us sight,
That wherever faring here
We may see our way more clear
To the rapture and the bliss
Of a lovely world like this.

Love's the morning;
Clad in day
'Round the world
He takes his way:
Up and follow, ye who will,
Through the valley, over hill,
Land and sea, his beacon glows
Where the trusting spirit goes.

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See it shine
Till the valleys
Grow divine
Till the hillsides and the sea
Catch the magic of its glee,
Singing like a music meant
For our gladness and content.

Angels Predicts War.
(Staff Correspondent Chicago Tribune.)
"War between the United States and Mexico will result if American troops remain thirty days longer on the soil of the Mexican republic."
This opinion was given vigorous expression by Gen. Felipe Angeles, once the ablest lieutenant of Francisco Villa, a graduate of Chapultepec academy, instructor in the West Point of Mexico, author of authoritative works on artillery and ranked by military men as one of the world's cannon masters.

"It was unwise to send American troops into Mexico," said General Angeles. "It has resulted in an international crisis that is extremely delicate. Mexico is a powder magazine. A spark will explode it. The longer the American troops remain in Mexico the more dangerous the friction between the two peoples will become. War cannot be averted if the American army stays much longer where it is. I should say the resentment of the Mexican people would explode in war in thirty days if the situation is not relieved."

Oklahoma Cannot Tax Osage Leases.
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Washington, April 3.—The right of Oklahoma to tax the gas and oil leases of the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil company on Osage Indian lands in Oklahoma was denied today by the supreme court.



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Brazilian Talks at Mart.
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Arkansas Full Crew Law Constitutional

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Commissioner of Agriculture Davis calls on the farmers of Texas to plant more corn and more peanuts. That will make provision for the Berkshires and the Georgians, but where does Senegambia come in? Speak a word for the watermelon, Mr. Davis.

For the kind expressions which have been given by the Tribune and the Times-Herald touching the new organization of the News, it is sincerely grateful. As Bill Nye said when he first faced a Fort Worth audience, after an introduction by Mr. Wm. Capps, "Those sentiments, my friend, are worthy of the introducer—and the introduced."

And Still Going.
(Houston Post)

In little more than three years President has become widower once, bridegroom once, father-in-law twice and grandfather three times—all of which is going some.

A Reckless Runaway.
(Dallas Times-Herald)

The Commodore Duncan is headed downstream. But so many things were happening in Dallas when the good ship cast off that she got away almost without our knowing it.

Around the World

Energetic measures taken by Gen. Pablo Gonzales averted a threatened general strike of employees and laborers of the Mexico City street railway system.

The final report of the English committee on public retraining has been issued. The committee has already reported on the postal services, the road board, the expenditure on stationery and printing, the closing of museums and it now recommends an eight-hour day for civil servants; curtailment of the long vacation, and extension of county court jurisdiction; the raising of the minimum school age; reduction of postal facilities, including the abolition of free postage of redirected letters; reduction of numbers and salaries of higher officials in certain government departments; and the modification of the insurance act.

The stork is expected soon at Glencairn, the home in Ireland of Richard Croker, according to a report which has just been received here. Mrs. Croker was Miss Hula Benton Edmondson, a professional singer. On her mother's side she is the Cherokee Princess Sequoyah, being one-quarter Indian. On the father's side she is a descendant of Lord Montgomery, Earl of Eglinton, who led Norman forces at the Battle of Haastings.

Polish wheat, offered for sale in the west at \$1 a pound, with glowing statements regarding yields and value, has been tested by the department of agriculture, which advises farmers that it cannot be recommended for growing anywhere in the United States. This wheat has been exported in recent years in various parts of the country as "corn wheat," "Jerusalem wheat," and "giant wheat."

The government resolution on wild animals shows that during the last year 1,445 persons were killed by wild animals in Brazil, an increase of about nine per cent on the previous year's casualties. As usual, tigers were chiefly responsible, six lives having been lost through their depredations, in which a man-eater being responsible for a large proportion of 239 fatalities in that district. The loss of human lives due to snake bites amounted to 22,894, an increase of 1,124 over the previous year. Loss of life in the Punjab being highest for that province recorded in recent years.

The health department estimates that diphtheria cost Chicago a total of \$3,910,000 in 1915. The enormous total \$3,300,000 is charged to the loss of life from this disease.

John Harrison Surratt, last survivor of those accused of implication in the plot to assassinate Abraham Lincoln, is dangerously ill of pleuro-pneumonia at Baltimore.

The state convention of the progressive party of Vermont at which delegates to the national convention of the party are to be chosen will be held at Burlington May 24, the executive committee decided at a meeting tonight.

For the first time in history a Pan-American conference has been called for the purpose of considering matters distinctively and specifically related to child welfare in the countries of the western hemisphere. It is to be known as the First Pan-American Child's Congress, and is to be held during the month of July, 1916, in Buenos Aires, Argentina.

The Spring Fair, which began at Leipzig, Germany, last week, is the most successful one in every way that has been held since the war broke out. In some respects this year's fair even beats the ante-bellum record. The Chamber of Commerce has already issued certificates to 26,000 visitors entitling them to half-fare privilege on the railways as buyers at the fair; and this number is greater than was ever known prior to 1914. All the hotels are crowded, and many visitors have had to find quarters in private houses; others fill the hotels of neighboring towns like Halle and go back and forth daily.

To relieve the shortage of milk, 290,000 goats are to be brought into Budapest, Hungary, and distributed among poorer households.

The British government has found a place in the army for the conscientious objectors, men called up for service under the Derby recruiting scheme, who have conscientiously scrupled against fighting and who were excused from enlisting. There were thousands of such and to give them a chance to serve their country, although at the same time cater to their vanity against bearing arms, the war office announced the formation, for the period of the war, of the "Non-Combatant Corps." The officers and non-commissioned officers will be selected from regular military personnel, not fit for general service, but fit for service abroad on lines of communication.

Official announcement is made that 2,500 Danes have lost their lives in the war while fighting on the side of Germany. They were Scandinavian natives of the province of Schleswig, which has been for fifty years in possession of Germany.

The Austrians are engaged in rebuilding and repairing a large part of the city of Belgrade. Besides restoring the public buildings, 100,000 panes of glass have been replaced and 12,000 new keys made.

Billy Sunday on the Decollette.
(From a Sermon at Baltimore.)
"A girl was getting ready for a charity ball and she fixed her hair.
"Auntie, does my dress hang straight? Get my feather box and call the carriage."
"And the old colored woman said:
"Lord God! Honey! you ain't goin' with all that meat showing like that, is you?"
"I heard of a girl who went to buy some silk and said:
"Have you any new designs?"
"Yes, the latest things from Paris."
"Let me see some. That's blue and you see I am a brunette. I think that would look something of a magenta—yes, that's very fine. How much is it a yard? \$5? I'll take \$4.19 worth."
"Don't you want a yard of it?"
"No. I want to make a ballroom costume and don't need quite a yard."
"Read the descriptions of some of the costumes that they wear in Baltimore. No sleeves, they are superfluous, bodice connected with a little piece of ribbon over the shoulder."
"If I had gone around to church on Sunday morning I would probably have found a whole lot of them in the choir and could have heard them say, 'We have erred like most sheep from the paths. Spare us, dear Lord.'"

Texas Briefs

After years of litigation, the suit of Mrs. D. P. McLoughlin of Calloway county, Missouri, and others, against the Houston Oil company, to clear the title to 1100 acres of land north of Pine Island bayou and the old town of Concord, yesterday resulted in a victory for the plaintiffs in a jury trial before Judge L. B. Hightower, Sr., at Kountze.

The amount paid into the state treasury from land sales and leases in March totaled \$108,161.34. Of this amount \$70,132.20 was placed to the credit of the available school fund and \$28,993.36 to the permanent fund.

Mr. Dabney White, of Tyler, declines an invitation to debate the warehouse law with Farmers' Union officials of Pannin county and repeats his offer of \$100 to be paid to a charitable institution, if either of the challengers will convince a jury to be empaneled of twelve farmers that that law is of any direct benefit to the producer.

The Farmers' Institute will hold its annual convention in Austin July 17, 18 and 19, instead of July 24 and 29, as was first given out. The change was made in deference to the Farmers' short course at the Agricultural and Mechanical college, which will be held during the week including the 24th.

Abilene will soon become one of fourteen first-class postoffices in the state.

Comanche will hold a fair early in October.

A big district meeting of the W. C. T. U. will be held at Corpus Christi April 25 and 26.

Railroads entering San Antonio will spend \$500,000 in construction of new yards and passenger and freight stations.

J. Y. Blocker tells the champion snake story of the season. At least he says he saw forty-two rattlesnakes hanging on the wire fence between Georgetown and Taylor, supposed killed and hung there by some one who had found a den of them and dug them out.

On the March

Substantial evidence of the rigid enforcement of the anti-treating law was given in the New York legislation of Southampton the other day when a man was fined one pound (\$5) for treating his wife to a glass of wine in a public drinking house, his wife was fined an equivalent amount and the barmaid who served the drinks was fined five pounds (\$25.)

By the tactics of Senator Brown, the woman suffrage bill has again been held up in the New York legislature. He plans to make a speech against it and to offer an amendment eliminating alien-born women from the privilege it grants, but sentiment here is that the bill will pass with a comfortable majority and without the amendment.

Senator Ogden injected new life into what a good many people believed to be a corpse when he succeeded in getting the Maryland state senate to substitute his initiative amendment for the unfavorable report of the committee on amendments to the constitution. The vote was 16 to 8.

The board of foreign missions of the Methodist Episcopal church announces a gift of \$25,000 to be added to the permanent fund for retired missionaries. The latest gift swells the fund to \$150,000. The name of the donor is not given.

As a result of action taken by the Regional Conference attended by representatives of all the Protestant churches supporting missions in Porto Rico, denominational lines are to be practically abolished and co-operation is to be effected among the churches in the various forms of missions here. The conference was one of the regional gatherings planned at the recent conference at Panama, which are being held throughout Central and South America, Cuba and Porto Rico.

LOVE'S THE MORNING.

(The Bentstown Bard.)
Love's the morning,
Life's the night;
Love's adorning
Gives us sight.
That wherever faring here
We may see our way more clear
To the rapture and the bliss
Of a lovely world like this.

Love's the morning;
Clad in day
'Round the world
He takes his way:
Under the follow who will,
Through the valley, over hill,
Land and sea, his beacon glows
Where the trusting spirit goes.

Love's the morning,
See it shine
Till the valleys
Grow divine,
Till the hillsides and the sea
Catch the magic of its glee,
Singing like a music meant
For our gladness and content.

Angeles Predicts War.

(Staff Correspondent Chicago Tribune.)
"War between the United States and Mexico will result if American troops remain thirty days longer on the soil of the Mexican republic."

This opinion was given vigorously expression by Gen. Felipe Angeles, one of the ablest lieutenants of Francisco Villa, a graduate of Chapultepec academy, instructor in that West Point of Mexico, author of authoritative works on artillery and ranked by military men as one of the world's cannon masters.

"It was unwise to send American troops into Mexico," said General Angeles. "It has resulted in an international crisis that is extremely delicate. Mexico is a powder magazine. It will explode it. The longer the American troops remain in Mexico the more dangerous the friction between the two peoples will become. War cannot be averted if the American army stays much longer where it is. I should say the resentment of the Mexican people would explode in war in thirty days if the situation is not relieved."

Oklahoma Cannot Tax Osage Leases, Says Supreme Court

By the Associated Press.
Washington, April 3.—The right of Oklahoma to tax the gas and oil leases of the Indian Territory Illuminating Oil company on Osage Indian lands in Oklahoma was denied today by the supreme court.



"Now Remember—

hurry to your grocer's for a can of Calumet—learn your final and best lesson in baking—bake everything with Calumet that proved a failure with other Baking Powders.

"This is the test which proves Calumet the surest, safest Baking Powder in the world—the most economical to buy and to use. My mother has used Calumet for years—and there's never a bake-day failure at our house."

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New Cook Book Free—
See Slip in Pound Can



CALUMET BAKING POWDER

Cheap and big can Baking Powders do not save you money. Calumet does—it's Pure and far superior to sour milk and soda.

Farmer Is Killed Near Lovelady When Thrown from Horse

By the Associated Press.
Lovelady, Texas, April 3.—Joe Robinson, a wealthy farmer near here, was killed at Weldon Sunday afternoon when his horse dashed into a thicket, throwing him bodily against a tree, breaking his jaw and crushing the lower part of his chest. The latter injury proved fatal and he died a short time after friends reached him.

Texas Naval Militia Take Annual Cruise Two Weeks in July

Special to the Morning News.
Austin, April 3.—Franklin D. Roosevelt, acting secretary of the navy, today advised Adjutant General Henry Hutchings that the annual cruise of the naval militia of the states of Texas, Louisiana, Florida and South Carolina will be held from July 15 to 29, on the destroyers now loaned to these states. The destroyer Reid has been loaned to the state of Texas and is now at Galveston.

Arkansas Full Crew Law Constitutional

By the Associated Press.
Washington, April 3.—The supreme court today upheld as constitutional the Arkansas full crew law of 1913, requiring all railroads to use crews of six men while switching in terminal yards or across public crossings in the cities of the first and second class. The St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern railroad was convicted of switching cars in Hot Springs with less than the required men. It contended that the law was unconstitutional.



The Key to Your Home

Separated from home by county or continent—standing on Broadway or 'longside a water-tank—close at your hand is the key to your home.

WESTERN UNION

keys start your Day Letters and Night Letters on their way.

Your "All's Well" message reaches home before the mail train gets up steam. Low rates for many words.

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SARGOL — THE — FLESH BUILDER

Used successfully for eight years by thin men and women who want to put on flesh and increase weight. Eat with your meals. Pleasant, harmless and inexpensive. Sold in Waco by Powers-Kelly Drug Co. and leading druggists everywhere.

Announcements

Justice J. J. Padgett
Announces his candidacy for re-election as
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct 1, place 2, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1916.

SEM NIX
Announces his candidacy for re-election as
PUBLIC WEIGHER
Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 22.

EDGAR WITT
Candidate for
COUNTY JUDGE
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

GEO. W. TILLEY
(Ex-Sheriff)
Candidate for
TAX COLLECTOR M'LENNAN COUNTY
Subject to action of Democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

Geo. N. Denton
Announces his candidacy for
DISTRICT JUDGE, NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
(To succeed Judge McCullough). Subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22.

LON WORTHAM
Candidate for re-election
COUNTY TREASURER
McLennan County.
Subject to the action of the democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

W. J. Barcus
Announces for the office of
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT OF PUBLIC INSTRUCTION
Subject to the action of Democratic Primary July 22.

The News is authorized to announce
W. M. Winton
As a candidate for
COUNTY COMMISSIONER
Precinct No. 2.
This includes all of the Fifth Ward of Waco.

The Morning News is authorized to announce
JOHN B. McNAMARA
For re-election to the office of
COUNTY ATTORNEY
Of McLennan county, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries, July 22.

LEE R. DAVIS
Candidate for re-election to the office
TAX COLLECTOR M'LENNAN COUNTY.
Subject to action of Democratic primary, July 22, 1916.

G. T. MORRIS
Announces as a candidate for the office of
COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries in July.

PETER C. ORAND
Announces his candidacy for the office of
COUNTY TREASURER.
Subject to the action of the July primaries.

E. C. STREET
Candidate for
DISTRICT JUDGE
Nineteenth District, to succeed Tom L. McCullough. Subject to action of the democratic primary July 22, 1916.

The News is authorized to announce
TOM A. MAYBERRY
as a candidate for
PUBLIC WEIGHER,
Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the July primaries.

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BELIEVES AN OVERSEER PLAN OF ROAD UP-KEEP

DR. W. E. HALL THINKS RESPONSIBILITY SHOULD BE PLACED ON FARMERS.

Diversification Idea Is Taking Hold of the People, Says Well Known Farmer.

That it is a physical impossibility for the county commissioners to keep an efficient tab on the 2,500 miles of roads in McLennan county and that the former method of district overseers by putting responsibility on the farmers along the various highways is the better plan, is the earnest belief of Dr. W. E. Hall of Hallsburg, who spent several hours in Waco yesterday. Dr. Hall has been a student of farm life and rural problems for many years and is close to the problems which he studies, being a pioneer in the community which bears his name. "A great big mistake was made when the overseers and people were retired from road work," declared Dr. Hall. "Every man amenable to road work should be called on to do work on our public roads because they travel them every day. Only the big roads are getting the work done now. In two years the little roads have received little or no work done on them and as a consequence they are simply miserable excuses for roads."

"It is a physical impossibility for our county officials to keep up 2,500 miles of road in this county. They have no doubt done the best they could. We have no blame for them but we must have the men back on the roads. There are slips and drags all over the county, then the people have plows and teams. "The plea was made that little work was accomplished by the overseers but that was largely the fault of our commissioners in not enforcing the law by making every overseer report every dollar and every day's work done. Let the county build all the bridges and culverts and again put the people to work, but with the present levy that is simply out of the question. We would suggest no change in what is being done but let it be supplemented with every one amenable to road work. Let us petition our legislature next session to repeal the overseer clause and give again the people to work in conjunction with our county crews."

SAYS FARMERS ARE FEEDING AND LIVING AT HOME.

Speaking of what the farmer is actually doing in the way of diversification, Dr. Hall said:

"They are not going in debt, as they formerly have, but are aroused to the fact that more must be raised to eat and feed than formerly. "We feel sure that not half as much surplus as in 1914. The farmers are raising more chickens, eggs, milk and butter and vegetables, bacon and lard—in fact, are doing more to live at home. With such a soil and climate as ours who should not the farmers abandon the one crop cotton and raise what he eats, and sure enough live off the fat of the land."

"We hear a great deal of talk about rural credits, land for the landless, and homes for the homeless, but who will loan money without good security? Not Uncle Sam, not any bank or individual. The honest, industrious man can always have someone at his elbow to help him along. We have tenants here who have money in the Waco banks and they live better than most city folks do."

"We know what they have and it is easy to enumerate a few of their blessings, good teams and tools, they raise plenty of bacon and lard, chickens, eggs, milk and butter and sweet potatoes and other vegetables. Go by their lots and you will see from three to eight good hogs for future need. In a few years they will be owning their own homes, nor are they asking or begging for rural credits or land for the landless or homes for the homeless."

Flood Nips Idea Voyage to Gulf

As the Brazos rose somebody's hopes fell.

Rich and dry on the banks of the river near the Riverside driveway is a small house boat recently built. The boat was carried there by the 33-foot water and its owners staked it so that it would not bid a surreptitious goodbye on the bosom of the muddy, boiling stream.

The house boat was named with a slogan when it was built. "To the Coast," and one would naturally add, "or bust." But the latter expression is hardly applicable for the owners of the craft have added in chalk under the slogan the discouraged, plaintive information, "For Sale—Cheap." The chalk marking has been added since the flood, it seems.

Inside the boat is a map of Texas with the rampaging Brazos heavily marked, indicating the proposed voyage which the boat will probably never take.

Large Houses Greet Pantages' Bill at Orpheum Theatre

With a full house to greet them the second Pantage's circuit show opened last night at the Orpheum theatre and presented a very pleasing and entertaining program. One of the features of the bill which was loudly applauded was the Brooklyn comedy four harmony singers. They have a splendid sketch and promise to be the drawing card for today.

Edito, Frees & Co., with Happy Hooligan and all his troubles, presented a very clever number. Cleveland and Trelease won hearty applause in their revelry of singing and talking clever rag-time songs. Zeila and her pets, canine acrobats, is a very unique and unusual act, which is up to the standard of the acts of the Pantages road show.

In addition to the vaudeville program of four numbers a five-part feature motion picture production is presented in which some of the screen's favorites are cast in the leading roles. Matinees will be given daily during the week at 2:30 o'clock and two shows will be given at night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock.

Arnold Repair Shop sharpens lawn mowers.—Adv.

Automobile Paint at Cameron's.—Adv.

Lumolite Floor Finish at Cameron's.—(Adv.)

CLEANSE THE BLOOD BANISH RHEUMATISM

Rheumatism Due to Bad Blood. S. S. S. Your Remedy

Thousands have been made well. People in the poorest health, suffering from Rheumatism, with whom pain was constant. Who believed that their vitality was sapped beyond repair. It was proven to them that the cause of their trouble was the blood; that Uric Acid, the trouble maker, had gripped the blood and sapped its strength. The weakened blood has allowed poison and impurities to accumulate, and all energy was gone. They felt "poorly," were listless, pain was

ever present, with poor digestion and dyspepsia. They tried S. S. S.—nature's compound of nature's remedies of roots and herbs did what drugs failed to do. It literally washed the blood free from poison, and the flow of pure blood came back health, strength, vigor and happiness. Get S. S. S. from your druggist. Insist upon S. S. S. If you are a long standing case, write for special advice to Swift Specific Co., Atlanta, Ga., but begin taking S. S. S. at once.

PERSONAL MENTION

Eugene Early is in Mineral Wells.

William Kessler of Austin is in the city.

Asher Sanger leaves for Mineral Wells today.

Allan S. Sanford leaves today for San Antonio.

J. C. Tate, Tokio merchant, was here yesterday.

Edward Bolton is in San Antonio until Wednesday.

D. R. Boone of Oglesby is registered at the Metropole.

J. O. Harrison of Waxahachie spent yesterday here.

C. P. Melton of Temple is among local business visitors.

R. Wells of Hubbard is registered at the Hotel Waco.

S. W. Horne of Austin is here in interest of business.

O. P. Gresham of Temple is a business visitor in this city.

E. W. Cummings, Hillsboro attorney, was in Waco yesterday.

August Juraco, merchant from West, spent yesterday in Waco.

W. H. Barber, Concord merchant, was a Waco visitor yesterday morning.

Dr. E. W. Hall of Hallsburg was in the city yesterday afternoon.

H. R. Smith and wife of Chicago were in the city a while yesterday.

H. V. Poe, cashier of the Temple State bank, was in the city yesterday.

H. C. Connolly, postmaster at Rosebud, spent yesterday afternoon in Waco.

J. H. Kirby, merchant from Battle, was in the city yesterday afternoon.

F. S. Wood, merchant from Lorena, was here on business yesterday morning.

S. M. Becker of Goldthwaite, proprietor of a mercantile establishment, was here yesterday.

J. L. Haywood of the Haywood &

Blackwell company of Hubbard was here yesterday.

Rev. W. T. Kinslow, pastor of the First Methodist church at Mt. Calm, spent yesterday in Waco.

Bob Lyons, a prominent citizen living between McGregor and Crawford, spent yesterday morning here.

Hardy Hay, proprietor of a mercantile establishment at Moody, was in the city on business yesterday afternoon.

R. L. Penick, a prominent citizen of Stamford, mentioned at one time for governor, spent yesterday in Waco.

Sears Earl of Mart was here yesterday for several hours. He reported a fine rain at Mart, which did untold good.

Lieutenant Governor W. P. Hobby and wife of Beaumont spent yesterday in the city, guests of Col. Abe Gross and sisters.

Charles Brooks left yesterday morning for Hillsboro and will visit Dallas and other points while away. He will be absent for about three days.

C. C. Edwards left yesterday at noon for a trip to Bartlett and other points in Williamson county, going by auto. He will be absent for a few days.

Edwin Hobby of Dallas, a prominent banker, reached Waco yesterday, accompanied by his wife, for a visit to Col. Abe Gross and family on Austin street.

Examiner Edgar Watkins of the Interstate commerce commission, after the rate hearing in Waco, has gone to Dallas, where he will stay a short time on official business.

Col. W. M. Manchester and Mrs. Manchester leave today for Mineral Wells. Colonel Manchester will remain for only a short time, but Mrs. Manchester will remain for some little while.

P. S. Maedgen of Brownwood, representative of the Waco Drug company in West Texas, who spent Sunday and Monday here, reports heavy rains in practically all western Texas points and conditions to be flourishing.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

There will be a meeting next Monday of the county commissioners. There is considerable business to receive attention at the hands of the commissioners.

The various courts of the county and district are trying to get as much business out of the way as possible before the hot weather begins. The courts are not nearly as busy at other times of the year, and in this they are like the average individual.

Although Justice J. J. Padgett was a rather busy man yesterday, he stopped long enough to tie the marital knot which united the lives of Luther Kinsey and Miss Lizzie Polston, the ceremony taking place about 1:30 o'clock in his office in the basement of the courthouse. The happy contracting couple reside at The Grove.

That turned out to be a three-inch rain in the Stamford country, and a telegram to District Passenger Agent W. A. Morrow of the M. K. & T. railroad yesterday confirmed the good news. The message to Mr. Morrow was to the effect that not only were the crops saved, but that stock water is now plentiful and everything in most encouraging form.

Information has been received of the appointment of R. M. Whitten as superintendent of the I. O. O. F. Widows and Orphans' home at Corsicana to succeed J. William Smith of Waco, who recently resigned. Mrs. Whitten was chosen matron and John A. Lee of Fort Worth chairman of the board. A meeting of the board will be held tomorrow in Corsicana.

"We have had the best business for the past few days that we have had since the Cotton Palace," said Col. W. M. Manchester yesterday. He said that the men of the Waco Transfer company, of which he is the head have been busy, indicating that the people are traveling about in greater numbers. Encouraging reports regarding business are heard generally, also.

When crops are laid by this coming summer it is thought that there will be considerable good road building by farmers who want to connect up here and there with the good roads in the Waco and McGregor precincts. Farmers living say half a mile to a mile of the good roads will want to be in actual touch with these roads.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new brick buildings on Sixth and Fifth and Sixth streets between Mary and Jackson streets. The new structures belong to J. L. Fred and T. W. Glass, to W. N. Thompson and E. Thompson respectively. This indicates how the side streets are building up, not to mention the growth of Franklin. Lack of exercise in the where new buildings are being constructed right along from time to time.

Poll tax receipts should be in readiness for the election in the city today, and parties wishing to vote must have their

INDOOR LIFE MAKES FAT

TRY OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take caution to guard against over-stoutness, as fat acquired by indoor life is unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air is said to weaken the oxygen carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any person who is satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout are advised to go to Morrison Drug Co., or a good druggist, and get a box of oil of korein capsules and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Even a 14 days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved digestion and a return of the old energy. Footsteps become lighter and the skin less flabby in appearance as superfluous fat disappears. Oil of Korein is inexpensive, cannot injure, and helps the digestion. Any person who wants to reduce 15 or 20 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial.

Arnold Repair Shop sharpens lawn mowers.—Adv.

Automobile Paint at Cameron's.—Adv.

Lumolite Floor Finish at Cameron's.—(Adv.)

poll tax receipts with them or be prepared to sign a blank statement and agree to it, that the receipt is either lost or misplaced. Friends of the candidates, while there is no opposition to the democratic primary ticket, are anxious to see a good vote polled. The polls open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

Judge H. M. Richey was again elected special judge in the Nineteenth district court yesterday and will continue until July. He was first elected as special judge in January, and has given signal satisfaction in the place, measuring up to the requirements of the responsible position in a manner which pleased all concerned.

When the city commission holds their next meeting the proposition of having more street signs installed and the ones that are now up repainted will probably be brought up. Commissioner John Dollins said yesterday that signs were badly needed in many parts of the city and that the matter would be referred to the commission. Street signs were put up several months ago on telephone posts but were taken down following a complaint that they interfered with the duties of the line-men, according to Commissioner Dollins. Posts to hold the signs will probably be erected if the commission decides to put up more signs.

David W. Griffith and Frank E. Woods of the Triangle company are preparing for the papers a number of editorials and cartoons to illustrate the injustice and unconstitutionality of censoring of motion pictures.

City Commissioners to Discuss Erecting New Street Signs

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Announcements

Justice J. J. Padgett
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JUSTICE OF THE PEACE
Precinct 1, place 2, subject to the action of the democratic primaries in July, 1916.

SEM NIX

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PUBLIC WEIGHTER
Precincts Nos. 1 and 4, subject to the action of the democratic primaries, July 22.

EDGAR WITT

Candidate for
COUNTY JUDGE
Subject to the action of the Democratic primaries July 22.

GEO. W. TILLEY

(Ex-Sheriff)
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TAX COLLECTOR M'LENNAN COUNTY
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Geo. N. Denton

Announces his candidacy for
DISTRICT JUDGE, NINETEENTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT
(To succeed Judge McCullough). Subject to the action of the Democratic primary July 22.

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Candidate for re-election
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BELIEVES ON OVERSEER PLAN OF ROAD UP-KEEP

DR. W. E. HALL THINKS RESPONSIBILITY SHOULD BE PLACED ON FARMERS.

Diversification Idea is Taking Hold of the People, Says Well Known Farmer.

That it is a physical impossibility for the county commissioners to keep an efficient tab on the 2,500 miles of roads in McLennan county and that the former method of district overseers by putting responsibility on the farmers along the various highways is the better plan, is the earnest belief of Dr. W. E. Hall of Hallsburg, who spent several hours in Waco yesterday. Dr. Hall has been a student of farm life and rural problems for many years and is close to the problems which he studies, being a pioneer in the community which bears his name.

"A great big mistake was made when the overseers and people were retired from road work," declared Dr. Hall. "Every man amenable to road work should be called on to do work on our public roads because they travel them every day. Only the big roads are getting the work done now. In two years the little roads have received little or no work done on them and as a consequence they are simply miserable excuses for roads.

"It is a physical impossibility for county officials to keep up 2,500 miles of road in this county. They have no doubt done the best they could. We have no blame for them but we must have the men back on the roads. There are slips and drags all over the county, then the people have plows and teams.

"The plea was made that little work was accomplished by the overseers but that was largely the fault of our commissioners in not enforcing the law by making every overseer report every dollar and every day's work done. Let the county build all the bridges and culverts and again put the people to work, but with the present way this is simply out of the question. We would suggest no change in what is being done but let it be supplemented with every one amenable to road work. Let us petition our legislature next session to repeal the overseer clause and give again the people to work in conjunction with our county crews."

SAYS FARMERS ARE FEEDING AND LIVING AT HOME.
Speaking of what the farmer is actually doing in the way of diversification, Dr. Hall said:

"They are not going in debt, as they formerly have, but are aroused to the fact that more must be raised to eat and feed than formerly.

"We feel sure that not half as much last year and this will be spent for supplies as in 1914. The farmers are raising more chickens, eggs, milk and butter and vegetables, bacon and lard—in fact, are doing more to live at home. With such a soil and climate as ours who should not the farmers abandon the one crop cotton and raise what he eats, and sure enough live off the fat of the land.

"We hear a great deal of talk about rural credits, land for the landless, and homes for the homeless, but who will loan money without good security? Not Uncle Sam, not any bank or individual. The honest, industrious man can always have someone at his elbow to help him along. We have tenants here who have money in the Waco banks and they live better than most city folks do.

"We know what they have and it is easy to enumerate a few of their blessings, good teams and tools, they raise plenty of bacon and lard, chickens, eggs, milk and butter and sweet potatoes and other vegetables. Go by their lots and you will see from three to eight good hogs for future need. In a few years they will be owning their own homes, nor are they asking or begging for rural credits or land for the landless or homes for the homeless."

Flood Nips Idea Voyage to Gulf

As the Brazos rose somebody's hopes fell. High and dry on the banks of the river near the Riverside driveway is a small house boat recently built. The boat was carried there by the 33-foot water and its owners staked it so that it would not bid a surreptitious goodbye on the bosom of the muddy, boiling stream.

The house boat was named with a slogan when it was built "To The Coast" and one would naturally add, "or bust." But the latter expression is hardly applicable for the owners of the craft have added in chalk under the slogan the discouraged, plaintive information, "For Sale—Cheap."

The chalk marking has been added since the flood, it seems.

Inside the boat is a map of Texas with the rampaging Brazos heavily marked, indicating the proposed voyage which the boat will probably never take.

Large Houses Greet Pantages' Bill at Orpheum Theatre

With a full house to greet them the second Pantage's circuit show opened last night at the Orpheum theatre and presented a very pleasing and entertaining program. One of the features of the bill which was loudly applauded was the Brooklyn comedy four harmony singers. They have a splendid sketch and promise to be the drawing card for today.

Dalto, Frees & Co., with Happy Hooligan and all his troubles, presented a very clever number. Cleveland and Trelease won hearty applause in their revelry of singing and talking clever rag-time songs. Zella and her pets, canine acrobats, is a very unique and unusual act, which is up to the standard of the acts of the Pantages road show.

In addition to the vaudeville program of four numbers a five-part feature motion picture production is presented in which some of the screen's favorites are cast in the leading roles. Matinees will be given daily during the week at 2:30 o'clock and two shows will be given at night, 7:30 and 9 o'clock.

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PERSONAL MENTION

Eugene Early is in Mineral Wells. William Kessler of Austin is in the city. Asher Sanger leaves for Mineral Wells Tuesday. Allan S. Sanford leaves today for San Antonio. J. C. Tate, Tokio merchant, was here yesterday. Edward Bolton is in San Antonio until Wednesday. D. R. Boone of Oglesby is registered at the Metropole. J. O. Harrison of Waxahachie spent yesterday here. C. P. Melton of Temple is among local business visitors. E. Wells of Hubbard is registered at the Hotel Waco. S. W. Horne of Austin is here in interest of business. O. P. Gresham of Temple is a business visitor in this city. E. T. Cummings, Hillsboro attorney, was in Waco yesterday. August Juraco, merchant from West, spent yesterday in Waco. W. H. Barber, Concord merchant, was a Waco visitor yesterday. Dr. E. W. Hall of Hallsburg was in the city yesterday afternoon. H. R. Smith and wife of Chicago were in the city a while yesterday. H. V. Poe, cashier of the Temple State bank, was in the city yesterday. H. C. Connolly, postmaster at Rosebud, spent yesterday afternoon in Waco. J. H. Kirby, merchant from Battle, was in the city yesterday afternoon. F. S. Wood, merchant from Lorena, was here on business yesterday morning. S. M. Becker of Goldthwaite, proprietor of a mercantile establishment, was here yesterday. J. L. Haywood of the Haywood & Blackwell company of Hubbard was here yesterday. Rev. W. T. Kinslow, pastor of the First Methodist church at Mt. Calm, spent yesterday in Waco. Bob Lyons, a prominent citizen living between McGregor and Crawford, spent yesterday morning here. Hardy Hay, proprietor of a mercantile establishment at Moody, was in the city on business yesterday afternoon. R. L. Penick, a prominent citizen of Stamford, mentioned at one time for governor, spent yesterday in Waco. Sears Earl of Mart was here yesterday for several hours. He reported a fine rain at Mart, which did untold good. Lieutenant Governor W. P. Hobby and wife of Beaumont spent yesterday in the city, guests of Col. Abe Gross and sisters. Charles Brooks left yesterday morning for Hillsboro and will visit Dallas and other points while away. He will be absent for about three days. C. C. Edwards left yesterday at noon for a trip to Bartlett and other points in Williamson county, going by auto. He will be absent for a few days. Edwin Hobby of Dallas, a prominent banker, reached Waco yesterday, accompanied by his wife, for a visit to Col. Abe Gross and family on Austin street. Examiner Edgar Watkins of the Interstate commerce commission, after the rate hearing in Waco, has gone to Texarkana, where he will stay a short time on official business. Col. W. M. Manchester and Mrs. Manchester leave today for Mineral Wells. Colonel Manchester will remain for only a short time, but Mrs. Manchester will remain for some little while. P. S. Maedgen of Brownwood, representative of the Waco Drug company in West Texas, who spent Sunday and Monday here, reports heavy rains in practically all western Texas points and conditions to be flourishing.

CITY NEWS BRIEFS

There will be a meeting next Monday of the county commissioners. There is considerable business to receive attention at the hands of the commissioners.

The various courts of the county and district are trying to get as much business out of the way as possible before the hot weather begins. The courts are not nearly as active in the hot season as they are at other times of the year, and in this they are like the average individual.

Although Justice J. J. Padgett was a rather busy man yesterday, he stopped long enough to tie the marital knot which united the lives of Luther Kinsey and Miss Lizzie Polston, the ceremony taking place about 1:30 o'clock in his office in the basement of the courthouse. The happy contracting couple reside at The Grove.

That turned out to be a three-inch rain in the Stamford district and a telegram to District Passenger Agent W. A. Morrow of the M., K. & T. railroad yesterday confirmed the good news. The message to Mr. Morrow was to the effect that not only were the crops saved, but that stock water is now plentiful and everything in most encouraging form.

Information has been received of the appointment of R. M. Whitten as superintendent of the L. O. O. F. Widows and Orphans' home at Corsicana to succeed J. William Smith of Waco, who recently resigned. Mrs. Whitten was chairman of the board. A meeting of the board will be held tomorrow in Corsicana.

"We have had the best business for the past few days that we have had since the Cotton Palace," said Col. W. M. Manchester yesterday. He said that the men of the Waco Transfer company, of which he is the head have been busy, indicating that the people are traveling about in greater numbers. Encouraging reports regarding business are heard generally, also.

When crops are laid by this coming summer it is thought that there will be considerable good road building by farmers who want to connect up here and there with the good roads in the Waco and McGregor precincts. Farmers living say half a mile to a mile of the good roads will want to be in actual touch with these roads.

Work is progressing rapidly on the new brick buildings on Second, Fifth and Sixth streets between Mary and Jackson streets. The new structures belong to T. W. Glass, to W. J. Neale and E. E. Thompson respectively. This indicates how the side streets are building up, not to mention the grand old Franklin and Washington streets, where new buildings are being constructed right along from time to time.

Poll tax receipts should be in readiness for the election in the city today, parties wishing to vote must have their receipts.

INDOOR LIFE MAKES FAT

TRY OIL OF KOREIN TO KEEP WEIGHT DOWN, OR TO REDUCE SUPERFLUOUS FAT.

People who are confined within doors and who are deprived of fresh, invigorating air and exercise must take precaution to guard against overweight, unhealthy and a danger to the vital organs of the body. Lack of exercise in the fresh air is said to weaken the oxygen carrying power of the blood, so that it is unable to produce strong muscles and vitality and the formation of unsightly and unhealthy fat is the result.

If you are 15 or 20 pounds above normal weight you are daily drawing on your reserve strength and are constantly lowering your vitality by carrying this excess burden. Any persons who are satisfied in their own mind that they are too stout are advised to go to Morrison Drug Co., or a good druggist and get a box of oil of korein capsules and take one after each meal and one just before retiring at night.

Even a few days' treatment has been reported to show a noticeable reduction in weight, improved digestion and a return of the old energy; footstep become lighter and the skin less flabby in appearance as superfluous fat disappears, and helps the digestion. Any person who wants to reduce 15 or 20 pounds is advised to give this treatment a trial.

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**Marlin Hot Wells
Company to Hold
Election April 6**

Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, April 3.—A meeting of the stockholders of the Marlin Hot Wells company at the Elks' hall, April 6, has been called for the purpose of electing a new board of directors.

Falls County Collections.
Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, April 3.—County Tax Collector E. J. Turner reports the collections during March of only \$2,401.71, of which amount \$1,187.50 was late and \$99.75 county occupation tax.

Quillin Trial Begun.
By the Associated Press.
Austin, April 3.—Trial of the case of C. C. Quillin, former chief bookkeeper in the comptroller's department, was called today in the criminal district court. Motion of the defense to quash the indictment was overruled by Judge A. S. Fisher, the grounds for the motion being the same as those presented in the Druesdow case. Both sides then announced ready for trial and the court adjourned until tomorrow morning to complete the panel of jurors, forty additional men having been summoned. Quillin is to be tried on the charge of being an accomplice and principal to the offense alleged to have been committed by Druesdow, that is the failure to pay into the state treasury at the time prescribed by law, state money to the amount of approximately \$25,000.

Riesel School Election.
Riesel, April 2.—A school trustee election was held here Saturday, April 1. The old board was re-elected, consisting of Dr. J. D. Foster, Dr. L. R. Terrington and C. Turner. The drought was broken here, over one inch of rain falling.

Candidates at Eddy.
Special to the Morning News.
Eddy, April 3.—The city election for tomorrow has the following candidates: For mayor, W. F. Hill; for judges, A. M. Gordon, W. E. Jackson and E. L. Cook; for city marshal, O. L. Laughlin, S. L. Trader, Carl Davis, N. K. Greer and Oliver Williams.

Notice to Water Consumers.
Water rents for the April quarter are now due and payable at the office of Waco City Water Works, 617 Washington. Fifteen days from the first are allowed in which to pay. Please come in before the last day and avoid the rush. After the 15th remember the penalty. Cemetery water rents for the year are also due.

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Father of Newt and Lud Williams
Honored—Sister, 94 Years Old,
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These are two of the oldest settlers in this part of the country and are highly respected by all. Mr. Williams is father of Representative Newt Williams and Attorney Lud Williams of Waco and Mrs. Betty Robinson of Lorena and Lee Williams of San Angelo.

**Reprimand Only
for Lieutenant Mort**

By the Associated Press.
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President Schaff Likes the Prospects
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Passing through Waco yesterday at 11:45 o'clock in their private train the chief officials of the M. K. & T. of Texas and of the Texas Central Railroad company, the latter a leased line of the Katy, stopped long enough to hold a stockholders' meeting and a directors' meeting for the election of officers and directors for the Texas Central road. The party then continued on south to San Antonio. Prior to holding the meeting here a meeting was held early yesterday morning at Cleburne of the stockholders and directors of the Dallas, Cleburne and Southwestern, at which time old officers of that line were re-elected. In the party which stopped at Waco yesterday were C. E. Schaff of Houston, president of the Texas Central railroad; C. N. Whitehead, assistant to the receiver of the M. K. & T. St. Louis; W. A. Webb, chief operating officer, Dallas; H. F. Anderson, general manager of the M. K. & T. of Texas; A. A. Matthews, engineer in maintenance of way, Dallas; C. S. Sherwin, secretary of the M. K. & T. of Texas, Dallas, and several stenographers and clerks.

**RAILROAD PRESIDENT
LIKES TEXAS PROSPECTS.**

It required about thirty minutes to hold the meeting here. President C. E. Schaff was well pleased with the outlook for business in Texas, and thought that the fine general rains would tend to brighten up matters materially. He has recently built a magnificent home below Houston, and is more and more attached to this state and better and better identified therewith.

The following directors of the Texas Central were re-elected: C. E. Schaff, St. Louis; A. L. Clifton, R. T. Dennis, E. Rotan, Waco; E. T. Wilcox, Austin; J. M. Radford, Abilene; R. L. Penick, Stamford. Officers re-elected in the directors' meeting were: C. E. Schaff, president; William Comer, vice president; A. T. Clifton, secretary-treasurer; C. S. Sherwin, Dallas, assistant secretary.

There is some work going on up the Texas Central, with 400 men ballasting the tracks between Waco and Stamford and doing other work which is considered necessary.

In the Bellmead terminal or yards in this city a force is laying 85-pound steel rails, taking the place of the 65-pound rails which have been in use there. Dumps are being widened and drainage ditches made of the standard kind between Whitney and Walnut Springs, while depots are receiving a coat of paint all the way from DeLeon to Stamford. Steel rails weighing 65 pounds are being laid between Albany and O'Campo, a distance of about ten miles.

It will require an expenditure of about \$200,000 to complete the improvement which the state is to pay with what has been spent already.

**MUSICAL PRELIMINARIES
WILL BE HELD IN WACO**

Rules Are Announced for the Contest
for State Honors of
Musicians.

To determine representative vocalists, pianists and violinists from Texas who will enter the biennial finals of the National Federation of Musical Clubs at Birmingham in 1917, preliminary contests will be held in Waco on May 5 in connection with the meeting of the Texas Federation of Musical Clubs on May 4 and 5. The selection of the state's best players by judges who hear the performers from behind the screen is an event of great interest to musicians throughout Texas.

Mrs. Joseph When of this city is second vice president of the state organization and several Wacoans are heading committees of the federation. Contestants for the state honors must comply with the following conditions:

1. Contestants must be entirely American trained.
2. Contestants must be under thirty years of age.
3. Contestants must be screened from the judges and be known by number only.
4. Contestants must perform entirely without notes before their state jury and later before their district jury at least three or, if desired, more compositions.
5. Compositions to be performed are as follows:

**REQUIREMENTS
FOR EACH CLASS.**

Vocalists—One air by Handel, Mozart, Gluck or an Italian composer. A short group of German (Schubert, Schumann or Brahms), French and American songs. One modern oratorio or opera aria (English language preferred). Pianists—One work by Bach or Beethoven, one work of Chopin or Schumann, one work by McDowell, and if requested, one work by Liszt or some other important modern composer. Violinists—A Bach unaccompanied sonata, or early classic Italian work, or a Handel sonata. One movement from a Bruch, Saint Saens, Mendelssohn or other standard concerto. Two or three good short character pieces showing style, finish, color, charm and individuality. One brilliant "show piece" by noted violin composer, such as Paganini, Sarasate, Wieniawski.

The contestants to be eligible must join the student and young professional department of the National Federation of Musical clubs by sending name and address and fee of \$1 to the chairman of contest committee.

**CONTESTANTS MUST
PAY OWN EXPENSES.**

7. Contestants must arrange for their own expenses in the contest. To the winners in the final contest will be given a public appearance at the tenth biennial festival to be held in Birmingham, Ala., April, 1917. 8. Should there be in large cities a great number of contestants a preliminary contest similar to the state contest will be arranged by a local

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committee in the city, this contest to precede the one under the direction of the state president.

9. The committee reserves the right to reject any contestant, even though given the highest marking, if, in the opinion of the judges, the performance is not up to the required standard.

10. All contests will be open to the public; the small admittance fee charged will be used to defray the expenses of the contest.

Any further information desired will be furnished by Miss Blanche McKie, chairman contest committee of Texas Federation of Musical clubs, 102 South Fifteenth street, Corsicana, Texas.

**BAPTIST RELIGIOUS CENSUS
BEING TAKEN IN THE CITY**

Visitation Campaign Is Part of Enrollment Program at First Baptist.

The enrollment campaign inaugurated by the First Baptist church on Sunday was carried forward yesterday with excellent results. The other Baptist churches of the city joined in the city-wide canvass and about one hundred and fifty workers were engaged during the day in obtaining a religious census of the city under the direction of William P. Phillips of Dallas, state Sunday school secretary. The results of this canvass will be available for every Sunday school in the city, irrespective of denomination. Mr. Phillips recently conducted such a visitation in Beaumont, Marshall, Fort Worth and Tyler.

At 7:30 o'clock last night Pastor J. M. Dawson enrolled a large class in soul winning. The text book is entitled "Winning to Christ." The subject last night was "Winning the Children." Tonight, beginning promptly at 7:30, the subject will be "Winning Alien Peoples."

Mr. Phillips last night discussed the standard school, outlining the essentials to an A-1 school. Tonight he will tell how to bring the school to the standard mark. On Wednesday night he will present the results of the city-wide visitation, showing the religious conditions of Waco as revealed by the facts, and how well the churches are reaching their constituencies.

Rev. James R. Magill and Dr. B. A. Capass of Dallas spent yesterday in the city on denominational business and were in attendance on the meetings last night.

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**SCHOLASTIC MEET
OF DISTRICT WILL
BE HELD APRIL 21**

Six counties, in addition to the city of Waco, which is counted a full unit, will be represented in the district meet of the Texas Interscholastic association which meets in the city April 21. Contests will include junior and senior declamation for both boys and girls, debate, spelling matches and tennis. This date for the preliminaries to the state contest, which will be held in May at Austin, was set yesterday at a conference held by T. S. Montgomery of Waco, district director general, Sup. T. S. Hubbard of Belton, director of debate and declamation, and Prof. M. L. Caldwell of Marlin, director of athletics. Declamation contests, etc., will be held in the Auditorium theatre beginning at 10 a. m. and the tennis matches will be played on the local school courts.

Representatives in each of the contests will be entered from McLennan, Bell, Falls, Lampasas, Hamilton and Coryell counties.

One of the most interesting, perhaps, of the contests will be the annual debate between the various teams. This will be the last of the contests and will come in the evening at 8 o'clock. April 21 is a holiday in most of the schools and it is thought that it will be convenient for all.

**Muddy Street Delays
Fire Department in
Suburban Section**

A seven-room house at Fifteenth and Wood streets occupied by J. Huchaby was destroyed by fire last night at 9:15 o'clock. Before the house was reached by the fire department it was practically consumed by the flames. Two of the wagons en route to the scene were delayed several minutes when they stuck in the mud of one of the streets in the vicinity of the fire. Mr. Huchaby had occupied the house only a few weeks.

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**RECEDING BRAZOS
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High waters of the Brazos river of Saturday and Sunday did very little damage in the vicinity of Waco. Slight damages to the South Third street and Riverside drive bridges were reported. The Mackey park which had about two feet of water standing in it for several hours was not hurt except there was quite a bit of slime left standing which will necessitate it being cleared away soon.

Thirty-three feet and eight inches was the record depth of the Brazos near here. Last night it had fallen to about twenty feet and dangers for flood at the present time were over when the river began to go down early yesterday morning.

At the lock and dam, eight miles from Waco on the Brazos, the water was reported to have reached twenty-eight feet and six inches, but had receded to a depth of twenty-two feet last night and was still falling very slowly. It is believed that the lock and dam without any damage being done. However, this will not be known positively until the river goes down some more.

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where they went back to the other
side of the river. There was no way
of getting them again, and it was some-
thing like 500 yards from the Meridian
side to where they were.

Let us oil your harness; they'll last
longer. Nobby Harness Co., 411 Frank-
lin—Adv.

Automobile Paint at Cameron's—
New Wall Paper at Cameron's—Adv.

**\$500,000 SALARY FOR
FAMOUS FILM STAR**

Mary Pickford.

A huge moving picture combine is
in progress of formation. Its prin-
cipal star is to be Mary Pickford,
who is to receive a salary of a half
million dollars a year.

**Pioneer of Lorena
Celebrates 84th
Birth Anniversary**

Father of Newt and Lud Williams
Honored—Sister, 94 Years Old,
One of Guests.

Special to the Morning News.
Lorena, April 3.—H. C. Williams, an
old and respected citizen, celebrated
his eighty-fourth birthday at his
country home here yesterday. He has
been quite feeble of late, but was able
at this time to enjoy the feast which
had been prepared for the occasion.
Mrs. M. J. Fields, a sister, who re-
sides with her daughter, Mrs. H. J.
Hudson, and who is 94 years of age,
was present. She is very spry at this
advanced age, filling her place at
church and Sunday school every Sun-
day when the weather permits.

These are two of the oldest settlers
in this part of the country and are
highly respected by all.
Mr. Williams is father of Representa-
tive Newt Williams and Attorney
Lud Williams of Waco and Mrs. Bet-
ty Robinson of Lorena and Lee Wil-
liams of San Angelo.

**Reprimand Only
for Lieutenant Mort**

By the Associated Press.
San Antonio, April 3.—After review-
ing the papers in the case of Lieuten-
ant Mort, who was tried by court mar-
shal on charges arising from his lead-
ing two junior officers and a small de-
tachment of enlisted men across the
Rio Grande into Mexico near Brown-
sville to recover two soldiers who had
been detained by Mexicans on the
south bank of the river, General Pin-
ney announced today that Lieutenant
Mort had been found guilty and sen-
tenced to be reprimanded. He will be
released at once and restored to duty.
He is now held at Mercedes, Texas,
but has been ordered transferred to
the second field artillery, now in the
Philippines.

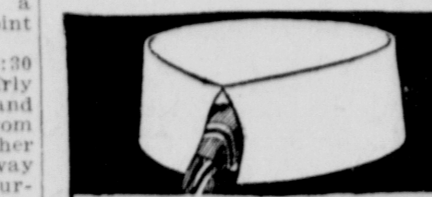
Wacoans at Marlin Hotels.
Special to the Morning News.
Marlin, April 3.—The following Waco
people are registered at Marlin hotels:
W. N. Port, John D. Curry, Henry
Pearson, F. T. Gross and Sam Small.

**Spectacular Fire
in New York City**

By the Associated Press.
New York, April 3.—A serious fire
in the down town section at 2 p. m.
today destroyed two five-story build-
ings on Beekman street, occupied by
paper concerns, and spread to an old
fifteen-story skyscraper.
Shortly after 2 o'clock all tenants
were ordered out of the twenty-story
skyscraper, known as the Nassau
Beekman building and occupied by the
New York Sun. The building at that
time was seriously threatened by the
flames.

The fire was one of the most spec-
tacular witnessed in the down town
section in many years. Roofs of sky-
scraper were crowded with specta-
tors and huge crowds jammed the
streets.

Fire department officials announced
at 2:30 o'clock that the fire was under
control and would be confined to the
two destroyed buildings, with some
damage to the fifteen-story building
at Nassau and Beekman streets. It
was estimated that the damage would
amount to \$200,000.



**GOTHIC — AN
ARROW
COLLAR 2 for 25c
IT FITS THE CRAVAT**

CLUETT, PEABODY & CO. INC., MAKERS

**OFFICIALS OF TEXAS
CENTRAL ARE CHOSEN**

OFFICERS OF KATY AND CENTRAL
STOPPED OVER IN CITY
YESTERDAY.

President Schaff Likes the Prospects
of State Since the Heavy
Rains.

Passing through Waco yesterday at
11:45 o'clock in their private train the
chief officials of the M., K. & T. of
Texas and of the Texas Central Rail-
road company, the latter a leased line
of the Katy, stopped long enough to
hold a stockholders' meeting and a di-
rectors' meeting for the election of of-
ficers and directors for the Texas Cen-
tral road. The party then continued
on south to San Antonio. Prior to
holding the meeting here a meeting
was held early yesterday morning at
Cleburne of the stockholders and di-
rectors of the Dallas, Cleburne and
Southwestern, at which time old of-
ficers of that line were re-elected.

In the party which stopped at Waco
yesterday were C. E. Schaff of Hous-
ton, president of the Texas Central
railroad; C. N. Whitehead, assistant
to the president of the M., K. & T., St.
Louis; W. A. Webb, chief operating
officer, Dallas; H. F. Anderson, gen-
eral manager of the M., K. & T. of
Texas, of Dallas; A. A. Matthews, en-
gineer in maintenance of way, Dallas;
C. S. Sherwin, secretary of the M., K.
& T. of Texas, Dallas, and several
stenographers and clerks.

**RAILROAD PRESIDENT
LIKES TEXAS PROSPECTS.**

It required about thirty minutes to
hold the meeting here. President C.
E. Schaff was well pleased with the
outlook for business in Texas, and
thought that the fine general rains
would tend to brighten up matters ma-
terially. He has recently built a mag-
nificent home below Houston, and is
more and more attached to this state
and better and better identified there-
with.

The following directors of the Texas
Central were re-elected: C. E. Schaff,
St. Louis; A. T. Clifton, St. Louis;
E. Rotas, Waco; E. T. Wilcox, Austin;
J. M. Radford, Abilene; R. L. Penick,
Stamford. Officers re-elected in the
directors' meeting which followed are:
C. E. Schaff, president; William Com-
eron, vice president; A. T. Clifton, sec-
retary-treasurer; C. S. Sherwin, Dal-
las, assistant secretary.

There is some work going on up the
Texas Central, with 400 men ballasting
the tracks between Waco and Stamford
and doing other work which is con-
sidered necessary.

In the Belmead terminal or yards in
this city a force is laying 85-pound
steel rails, taking the place of the 65-
pound rails which have been in use
there. Dumps are being widened and
drainage ditches made of the stand-
ard kind between Whitney and Walnut
Springs, while depots are receiving a
coat of paint all the way from De-
Leon to Stamford. Steel rails weigh-
ing 65 pounds are being laid between
Albany and O'Campo, a distance of
about ten miles.

It will require an expenditure of
about \$200,000 to complete the im-
provements which are under way with
what has been spent already.

**MUSICAL PRELIMINARIES
WILL BE HELD IN WACO**

Rules Are Announced for the Contest
for State Honors of
Musicians.

To determine representative vocal-
ists, pianists and violinists from Tex-
as who will enter the biennial finals
of the Texas Federation of Musical
clubs at Birmingham in 1917, pre-
liminary contests will be held in Waco
on May 5 in connection with the
meeting of the Texas Federation of
Musical Clubs on May 4 and 5. The
subject of the state's best players
by judges who hear the performers
from behind the screen is an event
of great interest to musicians through-
out Texas.

Mrs. Joseph When of this city is
second vice president of the state or-
ganization and several Wacoans are
leading committees of the federation.
Contestants for the musical honors
must comply with the following con-
ditions:

1. Contestants must be entirely American trained.
2. Contestants must be under thirty years of age.
3. Contestants must be screened from judges and be known by number only.
4. Contestants must perform entirely without notes before their state jury and later before their district jury at least three or, if desired, more compositions.
5. Compositions to be performed are as follows:

**REQUIREMENTS
FOR EACH CLASS.**

Vocalists—One air by Handel, Mozart, Gluck or an Italian composer.
Pianists—One work by Bach or Beethoven, one work by Chopin or Schumann, one work by Mendelssohn, and, if requested, one work by Liszt or some other important modern composer.
Violinists—A Bach unaccompanied sonata, or early classic Italian work, or a Handel sonata.

One movement from a Bruch, Saint Saens, Mendelssohn or other standard concerto.
Two or three good short character pieces showing style, finish, color, charm and individuality.

One brilliant "show piece" by noted violin composer, such as Paganini, Sarasate, Wieniawski.

The contestants to be eligible must join the student and young professional department of the National Federation of Musical clubs by sending name and address and fee of \$1 to the chairman of contest commit-
tee.

**CONTESTANTS MUST
PAY OWN EXPENSES.**

7. Contestants must arrange for their own expenses in the contest. To the winners in the final contest will be given a public appearance at the tenth biennial festival to be held in Birmingham, Ala., April, 1917.

8. Should there be in large cities a great number of contestants a preliminary contest similar to the state contest will be arranged by a local

WRIGLEY'S

To little hearts and big ones, too —
the Wrigley Spearmen are calling,
calling, every day:

Their message is one of good cheer
about this refreshing, beneficial goody
that costs so little but means so much
to comfort and contentment.

Send for the Spearmen's Gum-ption book
for young and old, illustrated in colors.

Address Wm. Wrigley Jr. Co., 1603 Kesner Bldg., Chicago

Chew it
after every
meal

Two
flavors



Sealed
against all
impurities

**BAPTIST RELIGIOUS CENSUS
BEING TAKEN IN THE CITY**

Visitation Campaign Is Part of En-
listment Program at First
Baptist.

The enlistment campaign inaugu-
rated by the First Baptist church on
Sunday was carried forward yesterday
with excellent results. The other Baptist
churches of the city joined in the
city-wide canvass and about one hun-
dred and fifty workers were engaged
during the day in obtaining a religious
census of the city under the direction
of William P. Phillips of Dallas, state
Sunday school secretary. The results
of this canvass will be available for
every Sunday school in the city, irres-
pective of denomination. Mr. Phil-
lips recently conducted such a visita-
tion in Beaumont, Marshall, Fort
Worth and Tyler.

At 7:30 o'clock last night Pastor J.
M. Dawson enrolled a large class in
soul winning. The text book is enti-
tled "Winning to Christ." The subject
last night was "Winning the Children."
Tonight, beginning promptly at 7:30,
the subject will be "Winning Alien
Peoples."

Mr. Phillips last night discussed the
standard school, outlining the essen-
tials to an A-1 school. Tonight he
will tell how to bring the school to
the standard mark. On Wednesday
night he will present the results of the
city-wide visitation, showing the relig-
ious conditions of Waco as revealed
by the facts, and how well the churches
are reaching their constituencies.

Rev. James R. Magill and Dr. B. A.
Cassas of Dallas spent yesterday in
the city on denominational business
and were in attendance on the meet-
ings last night.

Minnesota Paint at Cameron's—Adv.
Lumolite Floor Finish at Cameron's—
Adv.

**SCHOLASTIC MEET
OF DISTRICT WILL
BE HELD APRIL 21**

Six counties, in addition to the city
of Waco, which is counted a full unit,
will be represented in the district meet
of the Texas Interscholastic associa-
tion which meets in the city April 21.
Contests will include junior and se-
nior declamation for both boys and
girls, debate, spelling matches and
tennis. This date for the preliminaries
to the state contest, which will be held
in May at Austin, was set yesterday
at a conference held by T. S. Mont-
gomery of Waco, district director gen-
eral, Supt. T. S. Hubbard of Belton,
director of debate and declamation,
and Prof. M. L. Caldwell of Marlin,
director of athletics. Declamation con-
tests, etc., will be held in the Audi-
torium theatre beginning at 10 a. m.
and the tennis matches will be played
on the local school courts.

Representatives in each of the con-
tests will be selected from McLennan,
Bell, Falls, Lampasas, Hamilton and
Coryell counties.
One of the most interesting, per-
haps, of the contests will be the annual
debate between the various teams.
This will be the last of the contests
and will come in the evening at 8
o'clock. April 21 is a holiday in most
of the schools and it is thought that
it will be convenient for all.

**Muddy Street Delays
Fire Department in
Suburban Section**

A seven-room house at Fifteenth
and Wood streets occupied by J. Huckaby
was destroyed by fire last night at 9:15
o'clock. Before the house was reached
by the fire department it was practi-
cally consumed by the flames. Two
of the wagons en route to the scene
were delayed several minutes when
they stuck in the mud of one of the
streets in the vicinity of the fire. Mr.
Huckaby had occupied the house only
a few weeks.

Automobile Insurance a specialty.
Rogers & Gantt, 403 Amicable—Adv.
Let Rogers & Gantt insure it. 1342
new phone—Adv.

**RECEDING BRAZOS
DID SMALL DAMAGE
IN CITY IT SEEMS**

High waters of the Brazos river of
Saturday and Sunday did very little
damage in the vicinity of Waco. Slight
damages to the South Third street and
Riverside drive bridges were reported.
The Mackey park which had about
two feet of water standing in it for
several hours was not hurt, except
there was quite a bit of slime left
standing which will necessitate it be-
ing cleared away soon.
Thirty-three feet and eight inches
was the record depth of the Brazos
near here. Last night it had fallen to
about twenty feet and dangers for flood
at the present time were over when
the river began to go down early yes-
terday morning.
At the lock and dam, eight miles
from Waco on the Brazos, the water
was reported to have reached twenty-
eight feet and six inches, but had
receded to a depth of twenty-two feet
last night, and was still falling very
slowly. It is believed that the lock
and dam without any damage being
done. However, this will not be known
positively until the river goes down
some more.

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The Antiseptic Powder to
Shake Into Your Shoes

and use in the Foot-Bath. Gives instant
relief to tired, aching, swollen, perspiring
smarting, nervous feet, stops the stinging
corns and bunions.
Read a few extracts from
original testimonials on file in
our office: "Foot-Ease works
like magic. Have placed some
in tight shoes and feel fresh
and comfortable."
"It is one of the greatest
remedies ever made."
"Your Foot-Ease has just pre-
vented me from throwing away
a new pair of \$5.00 shoes. It is
great!"
Nothing so thoroughly rests
the feet. It takes the friction
from the shoe and makes walk-
ing a delight. We have 30,000
testimonials.
Over 100,000 packages are being used by
Allied and German troops at the front. Sold
everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute.
FREE TRIAL PACKAGE
ALLEN'S FOOT-EASE, L. H. Allen, N. Y.

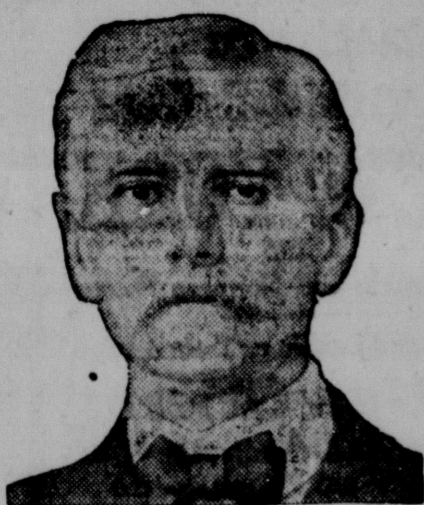
Well Known Remedy Relieves Chronic Case

IMPORTANT TO DISPOSE OF
WASTE FROM THE STOMACH
WITH REGULARITY.

People frequently attribute to failure of the digestive organs conditions that are primarily due to inactive bowels, and apply remedies that from their very nature are more apt to aggravate than to relieve the disorder.

When the bowels act regularly the stomach is in better shape to perform its allotted tasks and can usually be depended upon. To keep the bowels in condition there is no more effective remedy than the combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is sold in drug stores for 50c a bottle.

Dr. Caldwell has prescribed this remedy in his practice for over a quarter of a century and it is today the standard household remedy in thousands of homes. Thomas DeLoach, with the department of the interior, office of Indian affairs, at Washington, wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best laxative I have any knowledge of, and the pleasantest, as evidenced by its use relieves every organ."



MR. THOS. DELOACH.

A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should be on hand in every home for use when needed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington Street, Monticello, Ill.

Mass Meeting on Sunday Will Begin Campaign for Y. W. C. A. in This City

Plans for the mass meeting which will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church in interest of the membership campaign to secure members for the Young Women's Christian association which will be organized here, will be made this morning at a meeting of the provisional committee in the parlors of the First National bank building in the Amicable building. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock and all members of the committee are urged to be present.

At a meeting held yesterday morning of the membership committee in the parlors of the First National bank, the campaign headquarters, the campaign was discussed. It was decided to divide the city into seven districts. District chairmen were appointed and each chairman will be allowed to select the members of the committees for their respective districts.

One thousand members will be the mark which the campaign officials will set to work to. During the campaign daily luncheons at 12 o'clock noon will be held at the First Presbyterian church, at which time the committee chairmen will make their reports.

Following the mass meeting of next Sunday afternoon the campaign will formally start. With the city divided into the twelve districts it is believed that nearly every woman and girl of the city can be reached. The campaign is to last six days and as soon as completed the members will be called together, officers and board of directors selected, permanent headquarters selected and a secretary employed.

Miss Mildred Corbett of New York City, who was recently appointed southwestern field organizer with headquarters at Dallas, addressed the membership committee at the meeting yesterday. She said she was well pleased with the prospects and believed the citizenship of Waco would respond eagerly to the call to organize the Y. W. C. A. here.

Miss Corbett left Waco yesterday.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Dr. J. C. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

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Two of the best located stores in Waco at a very reasonable rental to live, progressive tenants. An absolute winner to tenants with confidence in their business, their ability and their city.

ADDRESS BOX A-1.

WACO LOOKS GOOD TO W. P. HOBBY ON HIS VISIT IN CITY

"I do not look for any session of the Texas legislature before the regular time for that body to convene unless there should be some developments this fall," declared Lieutenant Governor W. P. Hobby yesterday while on a visit here, and in the same breath he said that "Waco certainly looked good in a business way and in every other way and that it was always a pleasure to visit here or to come on business."

Accompanying Lieutenant Governor Hobby was his wife, and they came from Beaumont and met here Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hobby of Dallas. Mr. Hobby is the vice president and cashier of the Security National bank of Dallas, a very prominent financial institution. It was a pleasant meeting which the brothers and their wives enjoyed in Waco, and while here they were the guests of Col. Abe Gross and sisters of 1709 Austin street. They are seeing to it that the visitors enjoy their stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hobby will leave this morning for home, but Lieutenant Governor Hobby and wife will remain longer in the city. They are being most cordially received by old friends, and are making new acquaintances and friends.

Early Closing of Merchants Aids in Beautifying City

The movement of quite a number of leading grocery merchants to close their place of business at 6 o'clock today in the week except Saturday, the agreement to this effect having been numerously signed, has attracted the attention of the housewives of the city as well as the general public, and most of the comment heard seems favorable to the plan.

Speaking of the matter J. W. Holloway, one of the first to sign the agreement, said: "If the grocery merchants will just stick to the agreement it will prove a great thing for everybody concerned. There will be just as much business done, and it will be done more systematically and satisfactorily. Practically all the business of this character is done nowadays by telephone, anyway, and the drop in business is a small item. By using a little forethought and carrying out the agreement we can get their orders in before 6 o'clock, so as to facilitate the closing movement, and I am sure that the merchants and employees alike will appreciate all co-operation and satisfaction."

In addition to the practical features of the movement it will really contribute quite a bit to the "City Beautiful" idea, as it will give employers and employees more time at home, and this time can be put in improving the conditions about the home, and in other aesthetic ways. It would seem to be a good movement all around."

Austin Avenue Gets Results Through Its Church Advertising

One of the most successful demonstrations in Waco in support of the fact that church advertising pays closed last Sunday night. The demonstration was made by the Austin Avenue Methodist church.

About four weeks ago when the people of this church urged their pastor to preach a series of revival sermons, some one of the congregation, and it really matters not whom, suggested that they advertise the fact. It was fully discussed and a decision was reached. It was decided to advertise and that the advertising campaign be managed by Dr. S. C. Gage. Dr. Gage is not a professional advertising man, but he is a believer in advertising—he has been in the business of advertising for many years. A large display ad was placed in the daily papers. Throughout the past three weeks people were urged to come, told of the happenings and made to think of the things that were to the church, the revival and of God.

The result of the revival really surprised every one. The pastor, the great pulpit orator that he is, was really surprised. The revival was a success. A part of this success was due to advertising might be a debatable question in the minds of some people, but the fact remains that it was advertised, just as other good things are advertised, and the good in it was pointed out, truthfully told and intelligently told and it was a success.

The people of the Austin Avenue Methodist church are to be commended for their progressive policy, not because the papers received a remuneration for their space, but for the fact that they demonstrated a truth that has been somewhat uncertain in Waco and one that should be given serious consideration by the churches of the city.

Methodist District Conference Will Be Held on April 27

With the Methodist pastors and local preachers present, and with delegates present from the laymen in each pastoral charge in McLennan county, there will be held in West on April 27 the Waco district M. E. conference, with Presiding Elder J. A. Whitehurst of Waco in the chair.

The gathering will bring together quite a number of Methodists, and the work of the conference will probably consume two days, as there will be reports, short addresses, mapping out of work, etc. Four lay delegates are to be chosen from each pastoral charge, and a good number of these will be present, doubtless.

The people of West are making the local arrangements for the gathering.

U. of T. Professor Will Lecture This Evening at Baylor

Dr. J. Morgan Calloway, Jr., executive professor from the University of Texas at Austin, will deliver a lecture at 8:30 o'clock tonight in the Carroll chapel at the Baylor university. His subject will be "The Faust Legend." A reception following the lecture will be given in the Baylor cafeteria.

IF CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED, GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dope" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physics simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicate "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach, and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," which has full directions for babies, children of all ages and for grown-ups plainly on each bottle. Beware of counterfeits sold here. See that it is made by "California Fig Syrup Company." Refuse any other kind with contempt.

TEXAS WILL SEND CARLOAD DELEGATES TO B-P CONVENTION

"We are planning to take a carload to Minneapolis in June," said C. H. Machen, state secretary of the Baruch-Philanthropic movement, in talking of the coming world convention. As will be remembered, the world convention of the Baruch-Philanthropic classes in 1914 was held in Waco, being the first gathering of that magnitude this city has ever entertained. Consequently, there is considerable interest here in the coming convention.

Mr. Machen said yesterday that delegations from San Antonio and Mineral Wells were practically assured, and that several would go from Waco. Efforts will also be made to get the city union at Houston, Dallas and various other points to send delegates. The convention dates are June 22, 23 and 24.

Railroad Man Says Conditions Good in Western Territory

"West Texas in general is in very good condition," said Superintendent J. W. Evens of the Texas Central railway, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Evens returned Sunday from a trip over the lines and says that about four inches of rain fell at Stamford, Rotan and at practically all points on in to Waco.

"Prospects are fine for cotton, maize, Kaffir corn and feterita," continued Mr. Evens. "We also noticed from the train that a lot of the wheat that everybody thought had been ruined by the rain had been saved. People out in that section are very much encouraged."

The rain did not damage the Texas Central tracks or bridges at any point, said Mr. Evens.

Cotton Palace Board May Meet This Week

No meeting of the board of directors of the Cotton Palace for this week has been set, but according to the president, W. H. Hoffmann, the board will probably meet the latter part of the week.

There has been no meeting since the directors made an inspection of the Cotton Palace grounds to see what improvements should be made in regard to the inspection will be made at the next meeting and definite action will probably be taken in regard to purchasing additional ground for the buildings.

Members of the committees to serve this year have not yet been appointed and this will probably be given attention if the board is called together this week.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
Harvey M. Richey, Special Judge.
R. V. McLAIN, Clerk.
No final orders.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McLAIN, Clerk.
Grand jury met yesterday for further work of investigation.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
S. M. Pirtle vs. Temple Trust Co., damages; verdict for plaintiff for \$990.

Suits Filed:
Perry Green et al vs. W. A. Wille, debt and foreclosure.
Wille Smith et al vs. Jim Smith et al, trespass to try title.

COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
George Barcus, Special Judge.
J. W. Baker, Clerk.

The following complaints were filed yesterday: State of Texas vs. J. W. Terry, violating Sunday law, two cases; J. P. Everett, violating Sunday law, two cases; Edgemoor, violating the Sunday law, two cases; J. A. Lemke, violating Sunday law, one case. These are actions in the Sunday picture show opening cases.

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HORLICK'S
THE ORIGINAL
MALTED MILK
Cheap substitutes cost YOU same price.

CITY ELECTION WILL BE HELD TODAY, POLLS WILL OPEN AT 7 A. M.

The annual city election will be held today. The polls open at 8 o'clock and close at 7 this evening.

The saloons of the city are again closed today, making three days within the past four that they have been closed, as the first streak of the Sahara was encountered Saturday when the school trustees elections were in progress, then came Sunday dry and arid, with the oasis Monday for those with the thirst, followed today by another stretch of Sahara and Gobi combined.

The places in the city government which are being voted on today are the offices of mayor, two city commissioners, city recorder, two water commissioners and members of the city democratic executive committee. The ticket includes the nominees of the February city democratic primary, as they were the only ones seeking to get on the ticket in the regular election.

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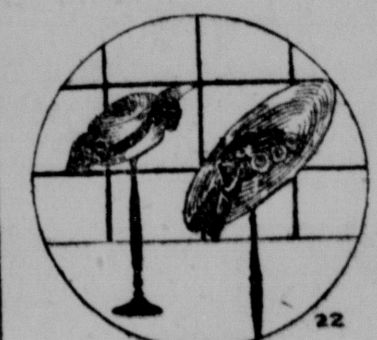
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25c Tissue Gingham

Shown in an attractive line of Stripes, Checks and Plaids. Just the fabric for an inexpensive Summer Wash Dress

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Rampageous Bosque Claims Toll of One Life in Flood

Presumably caught by the sudden rise in the Bosque, which came down with such unexpected celerity, filling the bottoms and sloughs of the stream, a negro boy nine years old, whose name was Claude Williams, was drowned Saturday about a mile east of the McLennan crossing on this stream and not very far from the Waco Boating and Fishing club. A 15-year-old negro boy named Oscar Hamilton, who was with the Williams boy when he was drowned, has been seen several times since the drowning, and has not come in to tell how it happened. The supposition is that he was too badly frightened by the occurrence to come in, but it was an accident, it is thought.

A telephone message reached John Sears, clerk in the office of Justice J. J. Padgett, this morning, to the effect that the body of the boy had been found, and he at once communicated with Justice Padgett, who went to the scene and viewed the body, which was still lying in the mud, a slough of the Bosque on the Davis farm. The father of Claude Williams lives here in Waco, at 710 Marlboro street. The boy had been going to school at one of the negro schools here, but had been out on a visit to an uncle on the Bosque. He and the older negro boy were out hunting rabbits when the drowning incident happened.

NOTICE.

Beginning Saturday, April the 8th, 1916, the banks composing the Waco Clearing House association will close at 1 o'clock on Saturdays. C. M. VIVRETT, Mar. (Advertisement)

Are you protected against loss by fire? If not Rogers and Gantt will insure you before night. 403 Amicable—Adv.

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The baseball management, in order to make the game popular with the ladies, offers Season Tickets at the low price of \$5.00. The club will give one ticket free to each lady who will sell five. Form a club.

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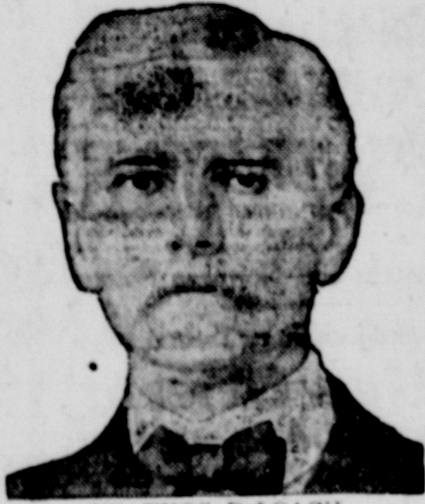
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People frequently attribute to failure of the digestive organs conditions that are primarily due to inactive bowels, and apply remedies that from their very nature are more apt to aggravate than to relieve the disorder.

When the bowels act regularly the stomach is in better shape to perform its allotted tasks and can usually be depended upon. To keep the bowels in condition there is no more effective remedy than the combination of simple laxative herbs known as Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, which is sold in drug stores for 50c a bottle.

Dr. Caldwell has prescribed this remedy in his practice for over a quarter of a century and it is today the standard household remedy in thousands of homes. Thomas DeLoach, with the department of the interior, office of Indian affairs, at Washington, wrote Dr. Caldwell recently that "Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is the best laxative I have any knowledge of and the cleaning up guaranteed by its use relieves every organ."



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A bottle of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin should be on hand in every home for use when needed. A trial bottle, free of charge, can be obtained by writing to Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 454 Washington Street, Monticello, Ill.

Mass Meeting on Sunday Will Begin Campaign for Y. W. C. A. in This City

Plans for the mass meeting which will be held Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church in interest of the membership campaign to secure members for the Young Women's Christian association which will be organized here, will be made this morning at a meeting of the provisional committee in the parlors of the First National bank building in the Amicable building. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock and all members of the committee are urged to be present.

At a meeting held yesterday morning of the membership committee in the parlors of the First National bank, the campaign headquarters, the campaign was discussed. It was decided to divide the city into seven districts. District chairmen were appointed and each chairman will be expected to select the members of the committees for their respective districts.

One thousand members will be the mark which the campaign officials will set to work to reach. During the campaign daily luncheons at 12 o'clock noon will be held at the First Presbyterian church, at which time the committee chairmen will make their reports.

Following the mass meeting of next Sunday afternoon the campaign will formally start. With the city divided into the twelve districts it is believed that nearly every woman and girl of the city can be reached. The campaign is to last six days and as soon as completed the members will be called together, officers and board of directors selected, permanent headquarters selected and a secretary employed.

Miss Mildred Corbett of New York City, who was recently appointed southwestern field organizer with headquarters at Dallas, addressed the membership committee at the meeting yesterday. She said she was well pleased with the prospects and believed the citizenship of Waco would respond eagerly to the call to organize the Y. W. C. A. here.

Miss Corbett left Waco yesterday.

Children Cry for Fletcher's

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher* and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations, and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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ADDRESS BOX A-1.

WACO LOOKS GOOD TO W. P. HOBBY ON HIS VISIT IN CITY

"I do not look for any session of the Texas legislature before the regular time for that body to convene unless there should be some developments this fall," declared Lieutenant Governor W. P. Hobby yesterday while on a visit here, and in the same breath he said that "Waco certainly looked good in a business way and in every other way and that it was always a pleasure to visit here or to come on business."

Accompanying Lieutenant Governor Hobby was his wife, and they came from Beaumont and met here Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hobby of Dallas. Mr. Hobby is the vice president and cashier of the Security National bank of Dallas, a very prominent financial institution. It was a pleasant meeting which the brothers and their wives enjoyed in Waco, and while here they were the guests of Col. Abe Gross and sisters of 1709 Austin street. They are seeing to it that the visitors enjoy their stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hobby will leave this morning for home, but Lieutenant Governor Hobby and wife will remain longer in the city. They are being most cordially received by old friends, and are making new acquaintances and friends.

Early Closing of Merchants Aids in Beautifying City

The movement of quite a number of leading grocery merchants to close their places of business at 6 o'clock every day in the week except Saturday, the agreement to that effect having been numerously signed, has attracted the attention of the housewives of the city as well as the general public, and most of the comment heard seems favorable to the plan. Speaking of the matter J. W. Holloway, one of the first to sign the agreement, said: "If the grocery merchants will just stick to the agreement it will prove a great thing for the city. There will be just as much business done, and it will be done more systematically and satisfactorily. Practically all the business of this character is done nowadays by telephone, anyway, and the drop in business is a small item. By using a little forethought and care the housewives can get their orders in before 6 o'clock, so as to facilitate the closing movement, and I am sure that the merchants and employers alike will appreciate all co-operation."

"In addition to the practical features of the movement it will really contribute quite a bit to the 'City Beautiful' idea. It will give employers and employees more time at home, and this time can be put in improving the conditions about the home, and in other aesthetic ways. It would seem to be a good movement all around."

Austin Avenue Gets Results Through Its Church Advertising

One of the most successful demonstrations in Waco in support of the fact that church advertising pays, took place last Sunday night. The demonstration was made by the Austin Avenue Methodist church. About four weeks ago when the people of this church urged their pastor to preach a series of revival sermons, some one of the congregation, and it really matters not whom, suggested that they advertise the fact. It was fully discussed and a decision reached. It was decided to advertise and that the advertising campaign be managed by Dr. S. C. Gage. Dr. Gage is not a professional advertising man, but he is a believer in advertising—he believes in printers' ink. A large display was made in the daily paper. Throughout the past three weeks people were urged to come, told of the happenings and made to think of the revival that pertained to the church, the revival and of God.

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Methodist District Conference Will Be Held on April 27

With the Methodist pastors and local preachers present, and with delegates present from the laymen in each pastoral charge in McLennan county, there will be held in West on April 27 the Waco district M. E. conference, with Presiding Elder J. A. Whitehurst of Waco in the chair.

The gathering will bring together quite a number of Methodists, and the work of the conference will probably consume two days, as there will be reports, short addresses, mapping out of work, etc. Four lay delegates are to be chosen from each pastoral charge, and a good number of these will be present, doubtless.

The people of West are making the local arrangements for the gathering.

U. of T. Professor Will Lecture This Evening at Baylor

Dr. J. Morgan Calloway, Jr., exchange professor from the University of Texas at Austin, will deliver a lecture at 8:30 o'clock tonight in the Carroll chapel at the Baylor university. His subject will be "The Past Legend." A reception following the lecture will be given in the Baylor cafeteria.

CHILDREN HATE PILLS, CALOMEL AND CASTOR OIL

IF CROSS, FEVERISH, CONSTIPATED, GIVE "CALIFORNIA SYRUP OF FIGS."

Look back at your childhood days. Remember the "dose" mother insisted on—castor oil, calomel, cathartics. How you hated them, how you fought against taking them.

With our children it's different. Mothers who cling to the old form of physic simply don't realize what they do. The children's revolt is well-founded. Their tender little "insides" are injured by them.

If your child's stomach, liver and bowels need cleansing, give only delicate "California Syrup of Figs." Its action is positive, but gentle. Millions of mothers keep this harmless "fruit laxative" handy; they know children love to take it; that it never fails to clean the liver and bowels and sweeten the stomach; and that a teaspoonful given today saves a sick child tomorrow.

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TEXAS WILL SEND CARLOAD DELEGATES TO B-P CONVENTION

"We are planning to take a carload to Minneapolis in June," said C. H. Machen, state secretary of the Baracac-Philathea movement, in talking of the coming world convention. As will be remembered, the world convention of the Baracac-Philathea classes in 1914 was held in Waco, being the first gathering of that magnitude this city has ever entertained in its history. Consequently, there is considerable interest here in the coming convention.

Mr. Machen said yesterday that delegations from San Antonio and Mineral Wells were practically assured and that several would go from Waco. Efforts will also be made to get the city union at Houston, Dallas and various other points to send delegates. The convention dates are June 22, 23 and 24.

Railroad Man Says Conditions Good in Western Territory

"West Texas in general is in very good condition," said Superintendent J. W. Evans of the Texas Central railway, yesterday afternoon. Mr. Evans returned Sunday from a trip over the lines and says that about four inches of rain fell at Stamford, Rotan and at practically all points on in to Waco.

"Prospects are fine for cotton, maize, kafir corn and feterita," continued Mr. Evans. "We also noticed from the train that a lot of the wheat that everybody thought had been killed was looking bright after the rains. People out in that section are very much encouraged."

The rain did not damage the Texas Central tracks or bridges at any point, said Mr. Evans.

Cotton Palace Board May Meet This Week

No meeting of the board of directors of the Cotton Palace for this week has been set, but according to the president, W. H. Hoffmann, the board will probably meet the latter part of the week. There has been no meeting since the directors made an inspection of the Cotton Palace grounds to see what improvements should be made for the 1916 exposition. Reports in regard to the inspection and definite action at the next meeting will be taken in regard to purchasing additional ground for the buildings.

Some of the committees to serve this year have not yet been appointed and this will probably be given attention if the board is called together this week.

IN THE LOCAL COURTS.

NINETEENTH DISTRICT COURT.

Tom L. McCullough, Judge.
Harvey M. Richey, Special Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
No final orders.

FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Richard I. Munroe, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
Grand jury met yesterday for further work of investigation.

SEVENTY-FOURTH DISTRICT COURT.

Erwin J. Clark, Judge.
R. V. McClain, Clerk.
M. S. Pirtle vs. Temple Trust Co., damages; verdict for plaintiff for \$900.

Suits Filed.

Perry Green et al vs. W. A. Wille, debt and foreclosure.
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COUNTY COURT.

George N. Denton, Judge.
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J. W. Baker, Clerk.
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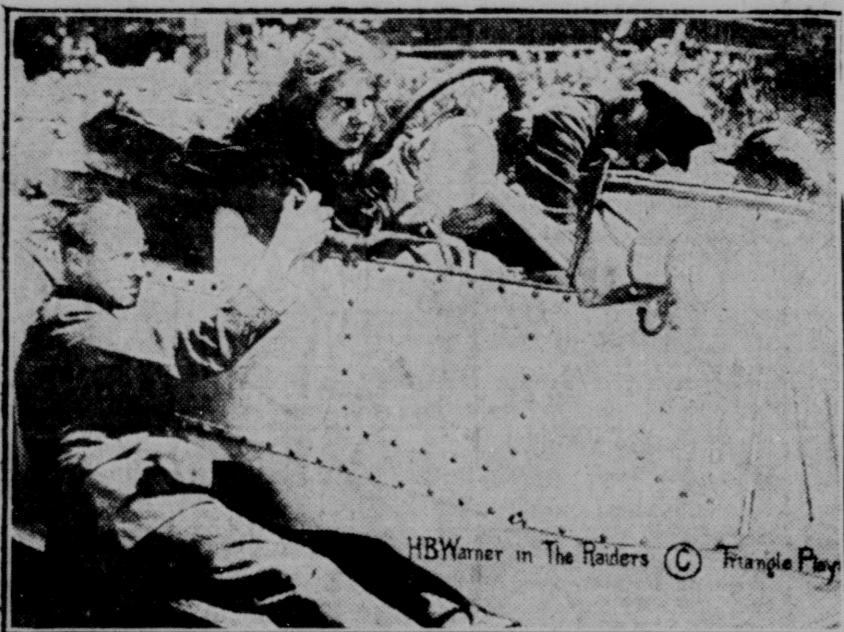
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"The Raiders."

The automobile race, the affair of the telephone, and the moment when the railroad magnate reaches the office of his partner, are three of the "big moments" in "The Raiders," the new Ince-Triangle drama showing at the Hippodrome today and Wednesday.

H. B. Warner, the star of the play in the role of Scott Wells, junior clerk of a brokerage firm, and Dorothy Dalton in the part of a railroad magnate's daughter, are the occupants of the racing car, and with Scott on the fender the girl drives at the rate of a mile-a-minute. In the place of the overworked dictaphone, Ince has introduced into this film a very simple but very effective method of over-hearing a conversation. The receiver of the desk telephone is accidentally tipped off the hook and the boy at the switchboard hears every word said in the private office of Burnes, the traitor partner. All of the interior scenes of this play were made at the new quarter of a million studio of the Kay-Bee company at Culver City, and the exteriors in the mountains very near the same place. J. Barney Sherry,

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Special to the Morning News.

Waxahachie, April 3.—In a 14-inning game here this evening with T. C. U. of Fort Worth, Trinity University lost by a score of 4 to 3.

The game was interesting from the very start, the star being Watson of Trinity, who, in nine innings, got twenty-one strikeouts, breaking the state record, and allowing only three hits in the entire game. In the full fourteen innings he got twenty-six strikeouts.

Trinity scored on errors by Rogers and Bryant were brought in by a two-base hit by Blanton. She maintained the lead until the seventh, when T. C. U. scored on errors by Captain Johnson and Catcher Bryant.

Watson helped his own game in the eighth when he two men on base he made a two-bagger to deep left. This was the only clean hit of the game and tied the score.

T. C. U. broke up the game by scoring in the first half of the fourteenth.

The same teams play here again tomorrow.

Batteries: T. C. U., Edens and Brady; Trinity, Watson and Bryant. Umpire, Curry.

Last Chance to See Navs Before Season Opens Wednesday

Those who missed the exciting game Sunday between the married and single men of the Waco baseball club will have one more opportunity to see the Navigators in action before the opening of the season. It will come Wednesday, when the Chinese team of Honolulu will be here.

The Oriental lads spend most of their time playing baseball and are now on a tour of the United States matching their ability against college and league teams. Most of the colleges have proved "easy pickings" for them; the Longhorns are being able to take one win from three games.

Hardy's men are going good now and are in prime shape for the opening of the season. Toland's injury will probably necessitate the signing of another catcher, but the Skipper has his eye peeled for a man already.

For a time the pitchers were bothered with sore arms but they have all rounded into form. With Hill, Donalds, Zinn, Sage, Naylor, Causey and Clossman to select from, Hardy can be assured of getting a bunch of good pitchers.

The game Wednesday will begin at 3:30.

Fred Fulton Would Fight Three Men in New York City

By the Associated Press.

New York, April 3.—Official notice was received today by the state boxing commission that Fred Fulton, the Minnesota heavyweight, had been signed to meet three men in this city. Fulton is to fight Al Reich April 28, Jim Coffey on or about June 1 and Frank Moran on or about July 1.

A syndicate, headed by John J. Mack, is promoting the series of boxing exhibitions with the expectation that it will result in a meeting between Fulton and Jess Willard later in the year.

According to the contracts filed with the boxing commission, Fulton is to receive \$6000 to fight Reich, \$5000 to fight Coffey and \$10,000 to fight Moran.

Whether the last two matches will be fought, it was stated that the commission is dependent upon Fulton's showing against Reich and if the Minnesota boxer makes the percentage will be arranged so as to give him about \$50,000 for the three matches.

Fulton's manager has posted \$1000 and the syndicate \$2000 with Tom Adee, a western sporting writer, as guaranties.

A. & M. Takes Slow Game from Chinese

Special to the Morning News.

College Station, April 3.—A. & M. wrestled a slow and uninteresting ball game from the Chinese team of Honolulu here this afternoon by the score of 5 to 3.

A. & M. hit the Chinese twirlers at will, getting ten clean hits, two three-baggers, three two-baggers and Rigney added a home run. The Chinese made but four hits, one of these by Yum, which should have been for one base, too a bad bounce and rolled to the fence.

Score: A. & M. 5, Honolulu 3. R. H. E. Chinese 10-14-300-15-19-1 Chinese 2-0-0-0-0-3-4-6 Olson, Lynch and Russell; Ako, Ote and J. Chin.

WHITE SOX 7, OKLAHOMA CITY 2.

By the Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, Okla., April 3.—With the score standing 2 to 1 against them, the Chicago American league regulars started a batting rally in the fifth inning which netted four runs and Chicago won from the Oklahoma City Western association club today 7 to 2.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 7-2-0-0-0-1-1-3-0 Oklahoma City 2-0-0-0-0-1-1-3-0 Fisher, Clark, Galvin, Lapp and Mayer; Fooseh, Riskey and Felt.

CUBS 6, NEW ORLEANS 2.

By the Associated Press.
New Orleans, April 3.—Taking advantage of numerous errors and ragged fielding, the Chicago Nationals defeated the New Orleans Southern association team here today 6 to 2.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 6-2-0-0-0-1-1-3-0 New Orleans 2-0-0-0-0-1-1-3-0 Seaton, Hendrix and Archer; Dillinger and Higgins.

AMHERST 7, LAFAYETTE 2.

By the Associated Press.
Easton, Pa., April 3.—Amherst defeated Lafayette today 7 to 2.

At Starkville, Miss.—Mississippi A. & M. 3, University of Oklahoma today 11 to 1.

Score: R. H. E. Chicago 11-13-0 Oklahoma City 1-3-0 Fisher, Clark, Galvin, Lapp and Mayer; Fooseh, Riskey and Felt.

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Wrestling Match Next Monday Night

Cyclone Mitchell of Baltimore and Jimmy Burns of Louisville, middleweight wrestlers, have been matched for a bout in Waco next Monday night, April 10.

The bout, which is being handled by Harry Swoboda of Dallas, will be staged at the Majestic Mitchell and Swoboda are already here and Mitchell will do his training at the Y. M. C. A.

In the near future Swoboda will attempt to get Pet Brown of Taylor for a match. Brown has just left for Utah, where he expects to spend about six weeks. While he is gone, Swoboda is planning to stage several matches with the idea of pitting the winner against Brown.

Alaskan Dog Race to Be Run April 11

By the Associated Press.
Nome, Alaska, April 3.—The ninth annual all-Alaska sweepstakes dog team race, the great sport event of the north, will be run April 11 over the snow trail from Nome to Candle and return, a total distance of 412 miles.

Announcement of the date of the race was made today by the Nome Kennel club, under whose auspices the race will be run. The trail is in excellent condition for fast racing. It is possible that six or seven dog teams will be entered, including those of Leonard Seppala, whose Siberian wolf dogs won last year's race; Robert Brown, Downing and McIntosh; D. P. Rhodes of Boston through; Bowen and Delzene, Paul Kjekstad and Gunnar Kaason.

Two famous drivers whose dogs always have been close contenders for first honors will not be represented this year. John Johnson, who established the record of 74 hours 11 minutes 20 seconds in 1911, and A. A. (Scotty) Allan, driver and part owner of the Allan-Darling team which won in 1911 and 1912, are in the states.

National Tennis Tournament Opens

By the Associated Press.
New York, April 3.—In the national tennis championship tournament which began here today only three matches were decided. The first of these went by default to D. P. Rhodes of Boston through the nonappearance of Wilson Potter of Philadelphia. The second was won by Payne Whitney of the home club who defeated J. A. Sewell of Boston, 6-2, 4-6, 6-5, 6-2. C. S. Cutting of this city won the other match from D. L. Hutchinson of Philadelphia in three straight sets, 6-2, 6-2, 6-3.

Play will be continued each day up to Thursday and the winner of the tournament will meet the world's champion, Jay Gould, in the challenge round next Saturday.

MANY ENTRIES AT CHICAGO.

By the Associated Press.
Chicago, April 3.—More than 200 athletes have entered the Central A. A. U. annual indoor meet which will be held in Patten gymnasium in Evanston next Saturday night. Entries which will be closed today, include teams from the Chicago Athletic association, the Illinois Athletic association, the University of Chicago, the University of Illinois, the University of Michigan, the University of Wisconsin, the University of Minnesota, the University of California, the University of Oregon, the University of Washington, the University of Texas, the University of Florida, the University of Georgia, the University of South Carolina, the University of North Carolina, the University of Virginia, the University of Kentucky, the University of Tennessee, the University of Alabama, the University of Mississippi, the University of Louisiana, the University of Arkansas, the University of Missouri, the University of Iowa, the University of Wisconsin, the University of Illinois, the University of Michigan, the University of Minnesota, the University of California, the University of Oregon, the University of Washington, the University of Texas, the University of 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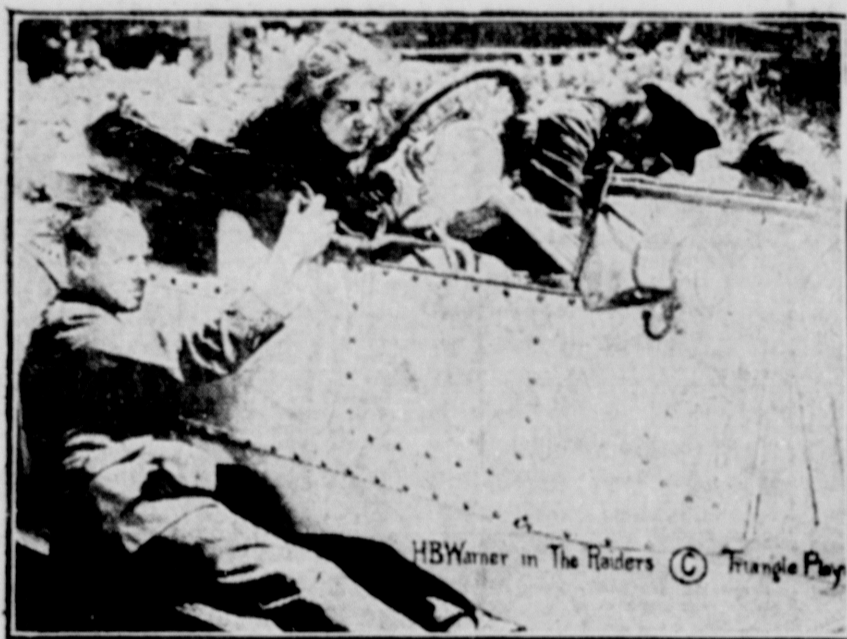
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"The Raiders."

The automobile race, the affair of the telephone, and the moment when the railroad magnate reaches the office of his partner, are three of the "big moments" in "The Raiders," the new Ince-Triangle drama showing at the Hippodrome today and Wednesday.

H. B. Warner, the star of the play in the role of Scott Wells, a junior clerk of a brokerage firm, and Dorothy Dalton in the part of a railroad magnate's daughter, are the occupants of the racing car, and with Scott on the fender the girl drives at the rate of a mile a minute. In the place of the overworked dictaphone, Ince has introduced into this film a very simple but very effective method of over-hearing a conversation. The receiver of the desk telephone is accidentally tipped off the hook and the boy at the switchboard hears every word said in the private office of Burns, the traitor partner. All of the interior scenes of this play were made at the new quarter of a million studio of the Kay-Bee company at Culver City, and the exteriors in the mountains very near the same place. J. Barney Sherry,

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TRINITY PITCHER FANS TWENTY-SIX, T. C. U. WINS GAME

Special to the Morning News.

Waxahachie, April 3.—In a 14-inning game here this evening with T. C. U. of Fort Worth, Trinity University lost by a score of 4 to 3.

The game was interesting from the very start, the star being Watson of Trinity, who, in nine innings, got twenty-one strikeouts, breaking the state record, and allowing only three hits in the entire game. In the full fourteen innings he got twenty-six strikeouts. Trinity scored in the fourth when Rogers and Bryant were brought in by a two-base hit by Blanton. She maintained the lead until the seventh, when T. C. U. scored on errors by Captain Johnson and Catcher Bryant.

Watson helped his own game in the eighth when with two men on base he made a two-bagger to deep left. This was the only clean hit of the game and tied the score.

T. C. U. broke up the game by scoring in the first half of the fourteenth. The same teams play here again tomorrow. Batteries: T. C. U., Edens and Brady; Trinity, Watson and Bryant. Umpire, Curry.

Last Chance to See Navy Before Season Opens Wednesday

Those who missed the exciting game Sunday between the married and single men of the Waco baseball club will have one more opportunity to see the Navigators in action before the opening of the season. It will come Wednesday, when the Chinese team of Honolulu will be here.

The Oriental lads spend most of their time playing baseball and are now on a tour of the United States matching their skills against college and league teams. Most of the colleges have proved "easy pickings" for them, the Longhorns only being able to eke out one win from three games.

Hardy's men are going good now and are in prime shape for the opening of the season. Toland's injury will probably necessitate the signing of another pitcher, but the Big Skipper has his eye peeled for a man already.

For a time the pitchers were bothered with sore arms but they have all rounded into form. With Hill, Donalds, Zinn, Sage, Naylor, Causey and Clossman to select from, Hardy can be assured of getting a bunch that will hold their part of the work. Little has plagued the hole made vacant by Criblow and all that is needed is one receiver to help Turkey Reddy out.

The game Wednesday will begin at 3:30.

Fred Fulton Would Fight Three Men in New York City

By The Associated Press.

New York, April 3.—Official notice was received today by the state boxing commission that Fred Fulton, the Minnesota heavyweight, had been signed to meet three men in this city. Fulton is to fight Al Reich April 25, Jim Coffey on or about June 1 and Frank Moran on or about July 1.

A syndicate, headed by John J. Mack, is promoting the series of boxing exhibitions with the expectation that it will result in a meeting between Fulton and Jess Willard later in the year. According to the contracts filed with the boxing commission, Fulton is to receive \$5000 to fight Reich, \$5000 to fight Coffey and \$10,000 to fight Moran. Whether the last two matches will be fought, it was stated that the commission is dependent upon Fulton's showing against Reich and if the Minnesota boxer makes good the percentage will be arranged so as to give him about \$50,000 for the three matches.

Fulton's manager has posted \$1000 and the syndicate \$2000 with Tom Edwards, a western sporting writer, as guarantors.

A. & M. Takes Slow Game from Chinese

Special to the Morning News.

College Station, April 3.—A. & M. wrestled a slow and uninteresting ball game from the Chinese team of Honolulu here this afternoon by the score of 15 to 3. A. & M. hit the Chinese twirlers at will, getting ten clean hits, two three-baggers, three two-baggers and Burney added a home run. The Chinese made but four hits, one of these, by Yimm, which should have been for one base, got a bad bounce and rolled to the fence. Score:—R. H. E. A. & M. 15 3 0 9—15 10 10 1 Chinese 3 10 2 0—3 4 6 Olson, Munch and Russell; Ako, Oote and J. Chinn.

WHITE SOX 7, OKLAHOMA CITY 2.

By The Associated Press.
Oklahoma City, April 3.—With the score standing 2 to 1 against them, the Chicago American league regulars started a battling rally in the fifth inning which netted four runs and Chicago won from the Oklahoma City Western association club today 7 to 2.

Score:—R. H. E. Chicago 7 2 0 9—7 2 1 Oklahoma City 2 10 2 0 1 Danforth, Cletie and Schalk; Dennis, Taylor and Dowie.

CUBS 6, NEW ORLEANS 2.

By The Associated Press.
New Orleans, April 3.—Taking advantage of numerous errors and ragged fielding, the Chicago Nationals defeated the Cuban Southern association team here today 6 to 2.

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Wrestling Match Next Monday Night

Cyclone Mitchell of Baltimore and Jimmy Burns of Louisville, midweight wrestlers, have been matched for a bout in Waco next Monday night, April 10. The bout, which is being handled by Harry Swoboda of Dallas, will be staged at the Majestic. Mitchell and Swoboda are already here and Mitchell will do his training at the Y. M. C. A. In the near future Swoboda will attempt to get Pet Brown of Taylor for a match. Brown has just left for Utah, where he expects to spend about six weeks. While he is gone, Swoboda is planning to stage several matches with the idea of pitting the winner against Brown.

Alaskan Dog Race to Be Run April 11

By The Associated Press.
Nome, Alaska, April 3.—The ninth annual all-Alaska sweepstakes dog team race, the great sport event of the north, will be run April 11 over the snow trail from Nome to Candle and return, a total distance of 412 miles. Announcement of the date of the race was made today by the Nome Kennel club, under whose auspices the race will be run. The trail is in excellent condition for fast racing. It is possible that six or seven dog teams will be entered, including those of Leonard Seppala, whose Siberian wolf dogs won last year's race; Robert Brown, Downing and Blatchford; Bowen and Deizene, Paul Kjeegstad and Gunnar Kaason. Two famous drivers whose dogs always have been close contenders for first honors will not be represented this year. John Johnson, who established the record of 74 hours 14 minutes 20 seconds in 1910, and A. A. (Scott) Allan, driver and part owner of the Allan-Darling team which won in 1911 and 1912, are in the states.

National Tennis Tournament Opens

By The Associated Press.
New York, April 3.—In the national tennis championship tournament which began here today, three matches were decided. The first of these went by default to D. P. Rhodes of Boston through the nonappearance of Wilcox Potter of Philadelphia. The second was won by Payne Whitney of the home club who defeated J. A. Lowell Blake of Boston, 6-5, 6-5, 6-2. C. C. Cutting of this city won the other match from D. L. Hutchinson of Philadelphia in three straight sets, 6-2, 6-12, 6-3.

MANY ENTRIES AT CHICAGO.

By The Associated Press.
Chicago, April 3.—More than 200 athletes have entered the Central A. A. U. annual indoor meet which will be held in Patten gymnasium in Evanston next Saturday night. Entries which will be closed today include teams from the Chicago Athletic association, the Illinois Athletic club, and the University of Illinois. Among the competitors will be Sol Butler, the Dubuque negro.

NEGRO GAME POSTPONED.

The baseball game which was to have been played this afternoon between the negro baseball teams representing Paul Quinn and Central Texas colleges had been postponed on account of the death of the wife of T. C. Deham, a member of the board of trustees for Paul Quinn for a bad bounce and rolled to the fence. The game will be played a week from today.

CUB SECOND TEAM 11, OKLAHOMA 1.

By The Associated Press.
Norman, Okla., April 3.—The Chicago American second team defeated the University of Oklahoma today 11 to 1.

Score:—R. H. E. Chicago 11 1 0 9—11 13 0 Oklahoma 1 10 2 0 1 Faber, Clark, Galvin, Lapp and Mayer; Foosee, Riseley and Felt.

AMHERST 7, LAFAYETTE 2.

By The Associated Press.
Easton, Pa., April 3.—Amherst defeated Lafayette today 7 to 2. At Starkville, Miss.—Mississippi A. & M. 3, Raleigh, N. C. A. & M. of North Carolina 12, William and Mary 2. At Wakeforest—Wake Forest 3, Richmond college 2.

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POCKETBOOK containing a \$5 and \$10 bill, also check from Miss Mae Dawson to Miss Ruth Raborn. Return to J. M. Gallagher, 1609 Amicable Bldg.

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7 PER CENT MONEY—We are prepared to make large loans on black-and-white farms at 7 per cent. Smaller loans 8 per cent. Advance \$40 per acre. Prompt service. Lyster-Hayes Land Co., 701 Amicable Bldg.

TEXAS PLUMBING CO., plumbing, steam and hot water heating; natural gas fitting. 214 S. 8th St. Call 286 new phone.

Real Estate

FOR RENT—20 acres, good six room house, four miles out on the interurban, at Lacy Summit. Plenty of water and grass. New phone 2422.

TRUCK FARM, NO DEBT. To trade for \$1500 bungalow in East Waco, clear of encumbrance. Now is the time to get rid of your East Waco property before the next outflow. MAXEY REALTY COMPANY.

VILLA'S LEG BROKEN. Will not keep us from selling you 208 acres good black land, 3 sets improved, near Waco and macadamized road, \$27.50 per acre. No trade wanted. \$2500 cash, balance terms. MAXEY REALTY COMPANY.

WANTED, A FARM. Rental property, good revenue, near city hall and railroad tracks, good wholesale location with bright future—will trade for good farm in McLennan county. MAXEY REALTY COMPANY, 501 Amicable Bldg.

SUBURBAN BARGAIN—One acre with 4-room house, barn, garage, several outbuildings. Just outside city limits on good road. Will sacrifice on easy terms for \$1400. This place sold for \$2500 a short time ago. Lyster Hayes Land Co., 701 Amicable.

SOMETHING DIFFERENT—Extraordinary proposition, absolutely meritorious. You will be surprised and pleased at fair, honest and remarkable opportunity for tremendous returns from exceedingly small outlay of even less than \$200 on easy terms. Mark this ad. Send at once for literature, views and full particulars; costs nothing. Linebarger Bros. Realty Co., 302 First State Bank, Dallas, Texas.

BUY YOUR FARM DIRECT, owner, no commission, no agents; get free list. Will Scrutchnin, Kingsbury, Tex.

FOR SALE—An Illinois party must sell equity in one or more lots on North Side before railroad ticket expires. Get busy. 915 Washington.

IF YOU can be interested in business or residence property or vacant lots, it will pay you to see me before buying as I have some real bargains to offer. T. W. Glass, 202 1/2 Franklin St., both phones.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

FOR SALE CHEAP—No. 5 Oliver typewriter, good as new. Call at 526 Austin St.

FIVE-PASSENGER Ford car, looks good and runs fine; can be seen at 712 Austin avenue. Hays Tire company.

FOR SALE—Good Ford cars at exceptionally low prices. Courthouse Garage, new phone 1326.

FOR SALE—Portable baker's oven. J. Van make; excellent condition; cheap. New phone 1831.

FOR SALE—Good restaurant, live wire; investigate now. Cherry Cafe, 808 Jackson St.

BABY CHICKS—Rush Park Seed Co. New phone 229. Old phone 472.

FOR SALE—Eighteen nice pigs. M. Falkner, both phones.

FOR RENT—Brick business building on Washington St., near 8th. Apply E. W. Marshall, phone old 1356, new 650.

FOR SALE—Nice young Shetland pony, only 45 inches tall; a perfect pet and gentle to ride. Call and see him at 927 N. 12th St.

FOR SALE—Corner lots at South Second and Jones streets, now occupied by grocery store and wood yard. Would trade for farm or city property. J. M. Henshaw.

FURNITURE ON EASY PAYMENTS.

Big stock, Best goods, Best prices, Not in high-rent district, 23 years in Waco.

Walk a block and save a dollar. RAY ROWELL, 305-307 Washington St. New Phone 33. Old Phone 591

FOR SALE—A few fine tailored automobile coats at a great sacrifice. New York Tailors, 416 Austin Ave.

FOR SALE—My grocery store only; will rent store at reasonable rate. On account of moving, we sell at once, stock and fixtures. My store 1723 S. 2nd St. Sam Mormino, new phone 1830.

DO YOU WANT a new Easter suit? Let me make you a new spring suit in exchange for your old one. Burnett Clothing Co., 413 Franklin St.

WANTED—Counters and shelving for grocery store. H. Baker, 621 S. 1st.

WANTED—Stock to pasture; 4 miles S. 12th St., new phone 42F, Tinsley Farm.

WANTED—You to know we make or repair any piece of furniture. Call phones, new 720, old 720. Waco Barber Supply company.

FOR EXPERIENCED NURSE, maternity and invalid cases especially; no objection to out-of-town calls. Ring new phone 1369.

J. F. HUNTER, tinner and cornice maker—repair work a specialty. New phone 227. 223 S. 8th St.

FOR SALE—Roll-top desk, three typewriter chairs, stove, must be sold. 168 old, 1654 new.

For Sale—Miscellaneous

A SET of medium-grade band instruments at less than wholesale if bought at once; some never unpacked; drums rehearsed, clarinets repaired; instruments repaired. Prices reasonable. Charles Parker, Waco, Texas, 508 1/2 Franklin St.

FOR SALE—First class spider phonograph, good as new; also set of harness; will sell cheap. Apply at once, 909 N. 14th St.

BIG FURNITURE SALE—Must be sold. Will sell, trade or exchange. Any one wanting to fit up a rooming house will make a bargain if you fail to see us. Big Sale Furniture, North Side Square.

FOR SALE—Second-hand fixtures suitable for building purposes. Apply Famous.

Wanted—Miscellaneous

PANAMAS cleaned and blocked, \$1; suits cleaned and pressed, \$1. O. K. Tailors. Prompt service and guaranteed work. 614 Washington, new phone 566. J. L. Lucas.

WANTED—Several clarinets, saxophones and brass drums. Charles Parker, new phone 1137.

Trade and Exchange

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Steel-gray Percheron stallion, 4 years old; still right in every respect. Colt from imported horse, Curlew, 4507, first prize winner of Hill county. Penelope town addition lots, acreage black land to trade for South Waco lots and acreage; take or pay difference owner. Ernest Ender, Penelope, Texas.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two bedroom suites, including two new springs and mattresses, rocking chairs, one up-to-date folding bed. Will trade for gentle horse or milk cow. Apply 909 N. 13th St. Old phone 1546.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Two 6-room cottages on East Side. Will sell at bargain and take small car as part payment. Balance \$12.50 per car. Less than rent. Owner, Box 1034.

FOR SALE OR TRADE—A 5-room modern home on corner lot on Sanger avenue at a real bargain. Will consider some trade. Owner, Box 1034.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—46 acres land, fairly well improved, all in cultivation, 5 miles north of Waco on Dallas road. If interested, see T. W. Glass, both phones.

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Special Notice

LOAM, LOAM. Fine red loam for sale, good for lawns, flower yards and gardens; will deliver to any part of city for \$1 per yard. New phone 2052, old phone 1078.

WE call for, repair and deliver anything needing repair. Phones new 160, old 729. Waco Barber Supply Co.

LAWN MOWERS SHARPENED—We sharpen and sharpen anything. L. J. Campbell, 122 Washington St.

WE REPAIR ANYTHING—Let us know your troubles. Our car will call promptly. Phones, new 160, old 720. Waco Barber Supply Co.

THE C. H. Lewis detective, employment and detective agency is now open for business at 521 Webster. New phone 3195. All business confidential. C. H. Lewis.

WE do all kinds of automobile repairing. If you car is in need of repair, let us look it over. Work guaranteed. 221 S. 8th St., Acme garage.

PALACE DYERS AND DRY CLEANERS—Suits cleaned and pressed 75c. Stacks, mended 35c. Work called for and delivered. New phone 1467, 909 Franklin St. Six years in the business.

MY BUSINESS IS MOVING, packing and shipping, rates reasonable. If interested, call McCarty Transfer and Storage Co., office 8th and Mary. New phone 836, old phone 1048.

TAXIDERMIST—Mount birds or animals. Make rugs out of skins. 816 S. 6th, old phone 2258.

MISS MINNIE OWENS, Public stenographer, notary public, 414 Peerless Bldg., old phone 882.

Wood and Wood Sawing

FOR FIRST CLASS OAK WOOD, call W. E. Hiley, new 3041, old 1412.

FOR WOOD, ring J. M. Donahoe, new phone 837.

400 STICKS dry stoak stove wood \$1. E. B. Daniels, new phone 707.

WHOLESALE and retail wood; also sawing. J. F. Pearce, 608 Webster St., new phone 1156.

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TWO OR THREE furnished light housekeeping rooms. South exposure; nice location. Old phone 1726.

FOR RENT—Two connecting rooms furnished complete for light housekeeping; new phone 1560.

TO COUPLE or gentleman, one nicely furnished front room, in private home. 923 Columbus, new phone 1308-Z.

FOR RENT—One furnished room with board, in private family. 904 Washington, old phone 2257.

FOR RENT—Nicely furnished bed rooms, convenient to good board, for gentlemen or couples. 403 N. 8th St.

FOR RENT—Furnished bedroom with meals, in modern home, 4 blocks from Amicable. Couple preferred. 615 N. Fifth.

FOR RENT—Downstairs front room, nicely furnished, 610 S. 5th, old phone 1455.

FOR RENT—Room with meals, couple or men; \$5 per week. 508 N. 5th St.

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms with southeast exposure; reasonable. New phone 2711Z.

FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, neatly furnished, at 506 Jefferson St. New phone 2225.

COMFORTABLE and cool south room, private home, to couple or a gentleman. Breakfast if desired. 915 N. 14th St.

NICE, cool rooms, close in. New phone 1657.

TWO furnished light housekeeping rooms, modern; private home; good neighborhood; \$10 per month. New phone 1744W.

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FOR RENT—Three large unfurnished housekeeping rooms, 1500 S. 4th.

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WANTED—Young men to occupy rooms on top floor Interurban Hotel. Rates \$8 to \$12 per month. All modern improvements. Apply Interurban Hotel, just north of Austin on Fourth Street.

FURNISHED rooms in heart of city. Rates reasonable. 612 1/2 Austin St.

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FOR RENT—Light housekeeping rooms, everything furnished, prices reasonable. 408 N. 7th St., corner Jefferson.

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Houses and Flats for Rent

FIVE ROOM cottage, 1915 Herring avenue; bath, electric lights and barn. Old phone 330.

FOR RENT—Six rooms; also sleeping porch. Ring-old phone 1749.

FOR RENT—Five-room house on Garland avenue. All conveniences. Apply 718 Garland.

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8-ROOM COTTAGE, 500 N. 5th; 6-room cottage, 517 Jefferson. New phone 1664. Apply to T. B. Barton, 514 N. 5th.

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MARKET REPORT

COTTON

By the Associated Press.

New York, April 3.—Relatively easy cables and a favorable view of weather conditions caused an opening decline in the cotton market, but prices soon rallied with July contracts selling up from 13.86 to 12.01 and closing at 12.05. The general list closed steady at a net advance of 3 to 5 points for the day.

There was a renewal of the scattered selling movement which developed here on Saturday at the opening. The cables were several points lower than day, while the weather map showed that there had been good rains in the southwest, passing eastward over the central and eastern belts. It was considered that the Texas drought had been pretty well broken, while the rains to the eastward were regarded as favorable, and after opening 4 to 6 points lower, active months sold about 7 to 8 points under Saturday's closing prices during the first few minutes of trading.

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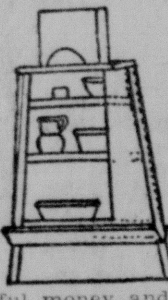
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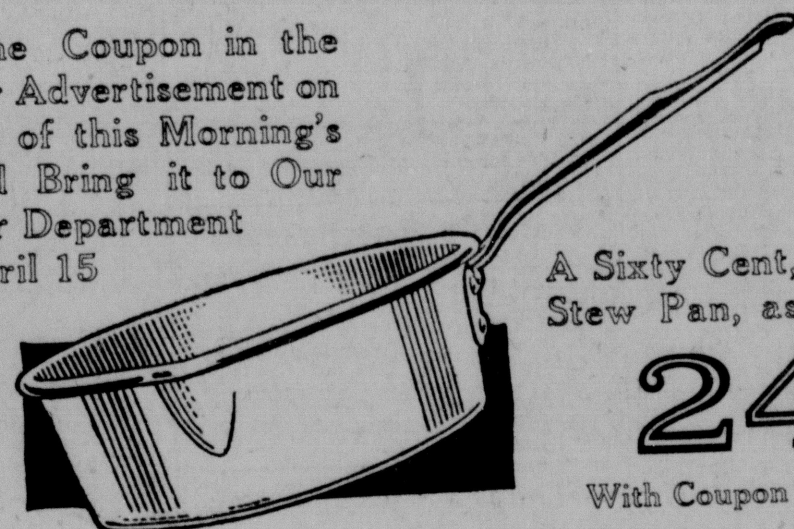
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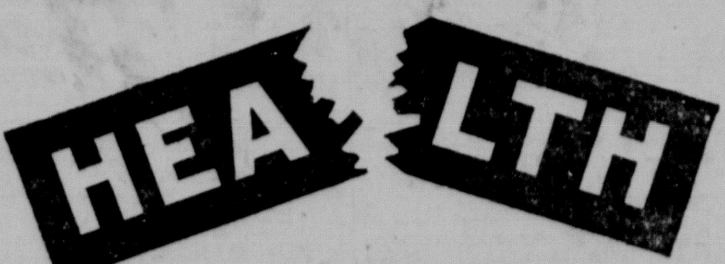
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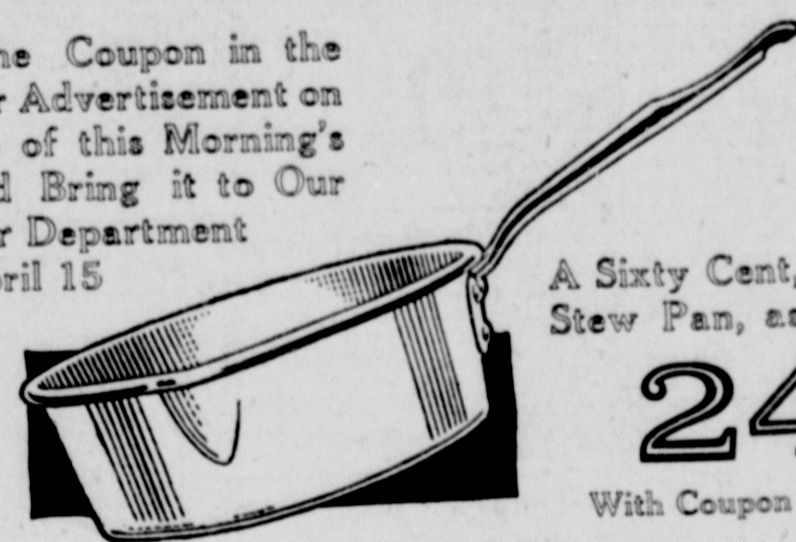
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Within a page of the place where "Diaz" was put is the name of "Caranza" on the police pad. The police do not vouch for the fact that this former inmate of the city detention hotel for notables was a near relative of the present recognized head of Mexico, but the name is there just the same.

The Mexican who was declared to resemble the bandit king was caught yesterday on the statement of a negro who claimed that the man made overtures in his direction with a knife in a saloon near the square.

Funeral Services
Mrs. B. Friedlander
Will Be Held Today

The body of Mrs. Blanche Friedlander, sister of Miss Rose and Simon Friedlander, 1703 Franklin street, who died Friday night at Salina, Kansas, will arrive here today over the Katy at 12:05 p. m. Funeral services will be held from the residence on Franklin street this afternoon at 3 o'clock, interment in the Hebrew Rest cemetery.

Active pallbearers will be Charles Rosenthal, Harry Efron, Max Landeman, Frank Weil, Leon Mittenthal and Dave Harlot.

HEALTH

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